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A HISTORY

of the

SWANGO FAMILY



HERALDIC DESCRIPTION
OF SWANGO

Arms—

Azure, a bend wavy argent,
between two plates.

Crest—

A leopard springing guardant
or.

Colors—

Azure (blue), Argent (silver),
Plates (are silver roundels), or
(gold).

—Sent in by B. F. Swango.



FAMILY OF SWANGO
(Schwangau)

(Germanic tribe of Swabia)

Arms—

A red shield with a silver swan,
(beak, legs, and feet black)
with a fish, natural color, in
its beak.

Crest—

Out of a gold crown, the head
and neck of a silver swan,
(beak black).

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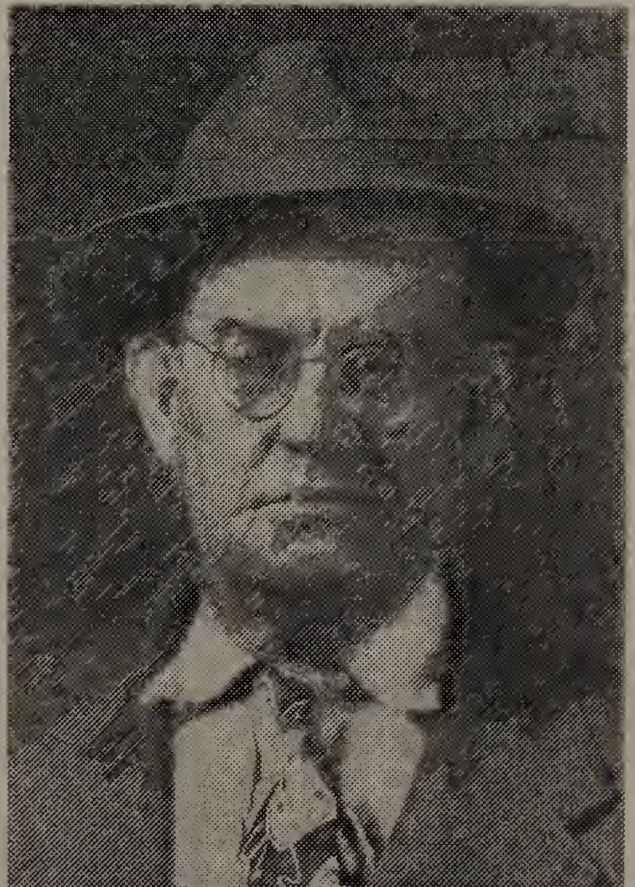
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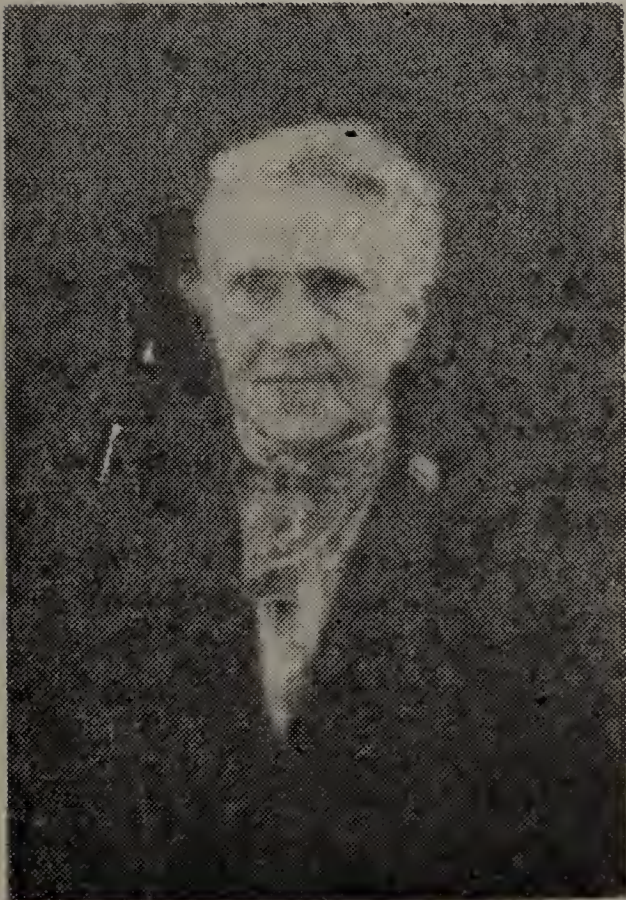


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FOREWORD

The book committee acknowledges contributions by Omar Swango, Hindsboro, Illinois. Because Omar Swango inherited from his father the earliest Swango Family records, because he was dedicated by his father's last requests to preserve and pass on the records to the descendants, Omar Swango spared neither himself nor his money in making available a printed record of same. While engaged in collecting other records so as to extend the history of the Swango Family, Omar Swango was called home by his Heavenly Father.

Acknowledgement is also due the cousin and co-worker of Omar Swango, B. F. Swango who continues to perform a like task designated to him in a last request by his father. B. F. Swango is past 85 years of age and chairman of the Book Committee. He too has spared neither himself nor his means in efforts to complete the history. The publishing of this book has been the goal of his life. Too much cannot be said in praise of his ceaseless efforts and valuable contributions.

Acknowledgement goes to many of the descendants who have shared their heritage for the printing of this book, identified on the following pages.

This book falls far short of a complete history of the descendants of William Swango who migrated from Germany about the year 1741 and settled near Mt. Vernon, Virginia. It is hoped that the information contained herein will guide many others to find their places among the descendants and eventually grow into a more and more complete record of the big Swango Family.

DEDICATION

The Book Committee affectionately and gratefully dedicates this book to the Memories of Omar Swango.

FAMILY REUNION ANNUAL AFFAIR

The children of Arberry Swango living in Ohio and West Virginia, began having family reunions on the week end of the Fourth of July. Other relatives were invited to attend their third reunion. At that meeting Omar Swango and B. F. Swango made free distribution of printed pamphlets containing some of the earliest Swango Family records, with many names and locations of other descendants. The Swango Family Reunion has become an annual affair, meeting for the Labor Day week end in Lexington, Kentucky, including a business meeting and dinner at Joyland Park Casino.

—Mrs. Lester A. Rowland, Lexington, Kentucky.

William Swango, with his wife and one son (Abraham) migrated from Germany about the year 1741. The wife died on-board ship and was buried at sea. The father and son landed in Virginia and located near Mt. Vernon. Soon after the father died, and Abraham, the son, then 14 years old, was apprenticed to a wagon maker where he served until he was 21 years of age. He became a wagon maker by trade and married Alsie Pyles, a lady of Irish birth. They became tenants of, and resided on a plantation of George Washington near Mt. Vernon, Va. They raised seven children (four sons and three daughters). Samuel, born 1765 or 66, who was the oldest, married Betsy Johnston Bunyan or O'Banion, Dec. 25, 1789. The entire family migrated west about the year 1783. Samuel stopped on Red River in what is now (1930) a part of Powell County, Kentucky, because it was fine hunting ground, and he was fond of that kind of sport.

The others went on west and stopped near what is now Lexington, Ky., for about two years. When game became too scarce they went on and stopped in what is now Gallatin County, Ky., and located on the Ohio River Knobbs, about a mile from Warsaw, and remained there. Some of the family were still there in 1919 and numerous others in that part of Kentucky and portions of Indiana and elsewhere.

The two old folks, Abraham and wife, died and were buried near Warsaw, Ky.

GALLATIN COUNTY SWANGOS

(The descendants of William Swango, whose grandson, Taylor Swango, married Matilda Jane Swango, who was the granddaughter of Moses Swango.)

William Swango, who lived in Gallatin County in the early part of the nineteenth century, had a land grant which extended from Vera Cruz to Eagle Creek. William married Mary Ann Bradley and they are known to have had two sons. The exact dates of William's birth and death are not known, but he was born near Warsaw, Kentucky. The two sons of William and Mary Ann (Bradley) Swango are Alfred who was born March 5, 1841 in Gallatin County and died at Warsaw in January 1891. The other son was Greenberry of whom we have no record. Alfred Swango was married to Mary Judy who was born near Owen County, March 25, 1844. They lived at Sparta in Gallatin County, but she died in Warsaw, Aug. 29, 1888. There were several children, the names of which were, Taylor, Claude, Leonard, Luke, Alfred, James, Herbert, Hattie, Alfa and Maymie (twins).

Alfred lived on a part of his father's landgrant near Sparta, where he and his sons raised tobacco and grain. They owned and operated the first horsedrawn thrasher and haybaler in that area. He also had a sawmill, operated a local hotel with a saloon. He and his sons were musically inclined, playing string instruments, at many of the local gatherings.

Taylor Swango, the oldest son of Alfred and Mary Judy Swango, was born in Gallatin County Nov. 23, 1864, and died in Cincinnati, Ohio, March 23, 1937. He is buried at Warsaw, Kentucky. Taylor was married to Matilda Jane Swango, near Oakland in Gallatin County, in about 1891. She died Oct. 15, 1958, in Cincinnati, Ohio and is also buried at Warsaw. Matilda was the daughter of Jacob and Eliza (Miller) Swango and the granddaughter of Moses and Matilda (Martin) Swango. Although Matilda and Taylor were both Swangos, they were not of close blood relation, if related at all. Taylor and Matilda lived in Gallatin for more than thirty years, where all their children were born and grew up. The children who survived were, Bessie, Maymie, Chester, Ben Jacob, Velma and Richard Alfred.

In 1924, Taylor and his family moved to Cincinnati, Ohio.

While living on a Gallatin County farm, they grew tobacco for the market. He was also known for a fine pack of fox hounds, of which it is said that their litters could be traced to fox hounds owned by George Washington, which were brought from England.

Moses and Matilda (Martin) Swango had several children, other than Jacob, (who is mentioned as the father of Matilda Jane Swango, who was married to Taylor Swango). They were Marion, Ervin, John, Jacob, George, and Dorcas. George was married and had at least four children. They were Luther, Toes, Emma, (who was married to Mr. Shirley,) and Anna.

Dorcas Swango married Harrison Bruce. As stated above, Jacob Swango, the son of Moses and Matilda (Martin) Swango, married Eliza Miller. They had three children, Matilda Jane, John and Alva. Matilda Jane was born Nov. 8, 1874 in Owen County, Kentucky, and married Taylor Swango of Gallatin County in about 1891.

John Swango was born in 1887 and died May 3, 1958. We have no available records on Alva Swango.

Bessie Swango was born April 17, 1894, married George Kelley. They had a daughter, Violet, who married John Taylor, who also has a daughter Linda Grace Taylor.

Mayme Swango, was born in 1896 and was married twice, first to Charles Howell, and then to Henry Fitzgerald. She and Charles Howell have a son, Harry Dean Howell born in 1923. Harry and wife Donna have a daughter.

Chester Swango was born in 1898 and married Lula Miller. They have a son, Harold Swango, whose wife is named Betty.

Ben Jacob was born November 17, 1903 near Warsaw, Kentucky and married Thelma Mary Holt at Newport, Ky., on Feb. 25, 1925. Thelma was born Nov. 12, 1907 at Manchester, (Adams Co.) Ohio. She is a daughter of Francis Marion and Blanche (Henderson) Holt. Ben and Thelma have a daughter Freda Jane Swango, who was born at Manchester, Ohio, Dec. 12, 1925. Freda Jane was married to Ralph U. Naylor at Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 7, 1946.

Velma Swango was born May 7, 1907 and married T. Hardy Kelley. They have two children, Donald L. Kelley and Patricia Ann Kelley. Donald is married. He and his wife, Rose, have two daughters, Victoria and Sandra. Patricia Ann is married to Richard Berlier.

Richard Alfred Swango, was born Feb. 3, 1910 and has been married twice. First to Gladys Tucker, and second to Josephine Hayslip. Richard has a daughter, Barbara Jean Swango.

Claude Swango (son of Alfred and Mary Judy Swango) was born in 1866, in Gallatin County, and died in 1948 at Gent, Carroll County, Kentucky.

Leonard Swango (son of Alfred and Mary Judy Swango) was born 1868, in Gallatin Co., Kentucky, and died in 1914 in Switzerland Co., Indiana.

We are lacking information on Luke, Alfred, James and Herbert. Hattie was married to a Connol Jacobs. It is understood that the twins Alfa and Mayme are still living.

Riley Swango, the oldest son of James Swango, was born on Dec. 20, 1865 in Gallatin County, Kentucky, about 1½ miles from Warsaw on the Ohio River Knobbs. They moved to Indiana when he was a boy of about 15 years. They settled in Green County, in a small town named Owensburg. Later on they moved to Lawrence Co., Indiana, to a little town of Olitic near Bedford, the county seat. Riley Swango was married three times, all three of his wives passed away before his death in 1947. His first wife was Minnie Lewis, who died of childbirth. His second wife was Jane Hatfield, who died in 1904. They had three children: C. M. Swango, Frieda Swango, Gertrude Swango. Frieda Swango died in 1942. Gertrude lives in Bedford, Indiana. She married Elmer Staggs. They have four sons and two daughters. The sons are Raymond, James, Charles and Kenneth and the daughters are June and Dorothy.

Riley Swango had three brothers, Edward, Newton and Thomas, who are deceased. Riley Swango died in 1947. Thomas was never married. Edward Swango had three girls, Hazel, Grace and Gladys. Newton Swango had two sons and two daughters, Trudy and Tressey and Walter and Ordia. The sons are married but I don't know how many children they have. Riley Swango was a blacksmith. He was married the third time to Cora Steele. They had three daughters and one son, Thelma, Josephine, Emily and Rex. James Swango's wife's maiden name was Rose.

James Swango had one brother, Richard, who went to Illinois years ago and lives near Paris.

C. M. Swango, son of Riley and Jane Swango is married and has no children. He married Octavia Weatherbee and is a Construction Electrician. He was born at Olitic, Ind., Sept. 4, 1902.



Abraham (Little Abe) and Deborah Ogden Swango

Samuel and wife who stopped on Red River in Powell County never left there. They took land there and made them a home and raised a family of six children. They had one son (Abraham) born October 20, 1790, died March 18, 1863, who served in the War of 1812-14 with England. He was known among the soldiers as little (Abe). Soon after the war closed he married Debby Ogden and settled on a large creek named Stillwater in Wolfe County, Ky. They raised a family of six boys and seven girls. The sons were named: George Washington, Harrison, Stephen, Samuel, Jesse and Chapman.

The four oldest sons settled on Stillwater Creek in Wolfe County, Kentucky.

Jesse, the fifth son, moved to Paris, Edgar County, Ill.

Chapman, the youngest son, was never married and was killed while serving as Captain of Cavalry in the service of the Southern Confederacy under the noted raider, General John Morgan.

George Washington married Lucinda Hollen. He was born in 1811.

Harrison married Anna Rose.

Stephen married Caroline Trimble.

Samuel married Eveline Kash.

Jesse married Nancy Jane Hanks.

The daughters of Abraham Swango were married as follows:

Nancy married Adam Harmon and went west, settling in or near Bates County, Missouri.

Elizabeth (Betsy) married Tilman Johnson and settled on Red River in Wolfe County, Kentucky.

Mary (Pop) married Jeff Johnson and remained in Kentucky.

Mariah (Sugar) married Shelton Trimble and lived in Menifee County, Kentucky.

Lydia married William Montgomery.

One (Ella Jane) married Jesse O'Hair and settled in Coles County, Illinois.

Emilie Jane married William P. Hanks.

George Washington Swango, first son of Abraham Swango, was born June 7, 1811. He married Lucinda Hollon, who was born Oct. 30, 1813. They settled on what is known as the Swango fork of Stillwater Creek in Wolfe County, Kentucky. They owned at one time more than one thousand acres of land in the homestead. They raised ten sons and three daughters.

Abraham, first son of George Washington Swango, was born March 23, 1831, and died in infancy.

Andrew, the second son of George Washington Swango, was born November 13, 1833 and married Rhoda Ingram and had three sons and two daughters.

Stephen, son of Andrew Swango, a doctor, married Belle Shackelford and had one girl (Livy). He later married Mrs. Lizzie Ingram, Mrs. Lucy Clark, Mrs. Sarah Peck and Mrs. Murphy.

Abraham, son of Andrew Swango, was accidentally drowned when about 21 years old and was never married.

Shilo, son of Andrew Swango, married Nora Halsey who died leaving two sons and one daughter. His second wife was Ida Murphy and they had two sons and two daughters. He then married a Miss Stamper who died soon and Shilo was killed in the state of Ohio when a railroad train struck his automobile; killing also a woman and her small girl who were in the same auto.

(8) *James Andrew Swango*, the son of Shilo and Nora (Halsey) Swango, was born at Maytown, Kentucky, Aug. 13, 1895. He married Dorothy Moore, the daughter of R. S. and Pearl (Hoover) Moore of Toledo, Illinois, June 29, 1929. She was born Feb. 7, 1907.

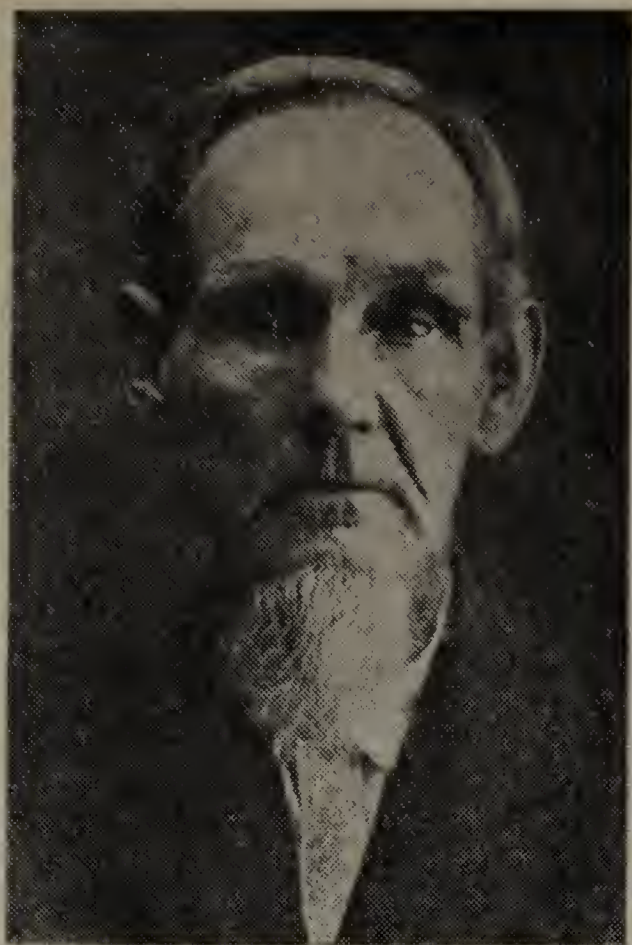
James served in World War I with the First A.E.F. Division at the Argonne Forest and with the Army of Occupation. They live in Mattoon, Illinois, and have two daughters:

(9) *Ethel Frances Swango*, born Dec. 1, 1932 in Mattoon. She was married to Joe Stanley Sexson, March 1, 1952 at Mattoon, Illinois.

(9) *Virginia Fern Swango* was also born at Mattoon July 1, 1936, and married Glenn Elmer Ryherd on Oct. 23, 1953. They have a daughter, Sandra Karlene Ryherd (10) who was born at Decatur, Illinois, Sept. 2, 1957.

Mary, daughter of Andrew Swango, married Henry Helton, who was a country school teacher and Baptist preacher, and raised a large family.

Francis, daughter of Andrew Swango, married Jefferson Chambers of Wolfe County, Kentucky, and went to Oklahoma and died leaving two sons and one daughter. One girl and a small baby were buried in the same grave with her.



Stephen Swango



Mrs. Stephen Swango

(5 George Washington, 4 Abraham, 3 Samuel, 2 Abraham, 1 William.)

Stephen, the third son of George Washington Swango, (born May 1, 1837 and died Feb. 12, 1913) married Sarah Jane Shackelford on Jan. 6, 1859. Her father's name was Abner and her mother's maiden name was Gasset. She was born June 15, 1840, in Breathitt County, Kentucky, and died Feb. 19, 1897. They had five sons and six daughters. They were James C., William Washington, Andrew Chapman, Julia Caroline, Lou E., John B., Jesse L., Nancy Evaline, Mary Florence, Margaret Olive, and Pearlie C. They are of the 7th generation.

THE DESCENDANTS OF JAMES C. SWANGO, WHO IS OF THE 7th GENERATION OF SWANGOS IN AMERICA

(7) *James C. Swango*, the first son of (3) Stephen (6) and Sarah Jane (Shackelford) Swango, was born in Wolfe County, Kentucky, Oct. 14, 1859, and died in the same County Dec. 27, 1895. He was married to Rebecca Patrick, Oct. 14, 1883. They had the following children, Luther Swango, Alma Lucille Swango, and Kate Cornelius Swango.

(8) *Luther Swango*, was born May 12, 1886, and married Edith Points, Jan. 4, 1910. They lived in Oklahoma on a farm and later moved to a farm in Oregon. There were no children. Luther died in Oregon Oct. 4, 1917.

(8) *Alma Lucille Swango* was born in Wolfe County, July 29, 1884. She attended school at Hazel Green Academy at Midway, Kentucky, then taught in the rural schools of Morgan County. Jan. 9, 1908 she was married to Moses Blankenship. They moved to Virginia where they both died, she Nov. 6, 1917. There were no children.

(8) *Kate Cornelius Swango*, was born in Wolfe County on March 19, 1892. She graduated from Hazel Green Academy when sixteen years of age, where she won the Mize Scholarship award. She and her mother moved to Oklahoma, where she taught school, later graduating from Phillips University at Enid. They came to Ohio where she taught in the Cincinnati school system for many years. In 1926 she was married to Earl B. Arnsperger. They had no children and were divorced in 1935. Kate was Principal of a Cincinnati High School at the time of her death in Sept. 1946. It is understood that she left a cash gift to Hazel Green Academy.

THE DESCENDANTS OF WILLIAM WASHINGTON SWANGO WHO IS OF THE 7th GENERATION OF SWANGOS IN AMERICA

(7) *William Washington Swango*, the second son of Stephen (6) and Sarah Jane (Shackelford) Swango, was born on Falling Water Creek in Wolfe County, Kentucky, March 11, 1861. He died June 14, 1919 and was buried in the family plot on the farm where he was born and grew up. He attended a local school, after which he went to a Normal School at Rose Hill, Virginia, in preparation for teaching. On returning to Kentucky, he taught in the common schools of Wolfe and Morgan counties for about ten years.

Following marriage, most of his life was spent as a general merchant, livestock trader and farmer. Early, his name was shortened to Wash and it was by that he was often called by his family and friends.

His first marriage was to Telitha Evaline Halsey, daughter of James H. and Mahaley C. (Brown) Halsey of Wolfe County, Kentucky, who was born March 15, 1866 and died Jan. 30, 1900. They were married Jan. 1, 1885, had four sons and two daughters. These children were in order of birth, Maude Alice, Claude Buckner, Noah Bruce, Edgar Clay, Stella Mae, and Stephen Floyd.

A second marriage April 6, 1902 was to Sarah Ellen Vest, daughter of David W. and Nancy J. (Greer) Vest of near Ezel, Morgan County, Kentucky, whose birth was March 13, 1880. To this marriage was born one child, a son, William Ray Swango.

(8) *Maude Alice Swango*, who was born Nov. 3, 1885 at Owingsville, Bath County, Kentucky, died April 13, 1955 at Decatur, Illinois, and is buried in the Mound Cemetery at Charleston, Coles Co., Illinois. March 4, 1901 she was married to Lona Buford Henry (born Nov. 25, 1881) son of John Miles and Marie (Linkus, Linkins) Henry of Ezel, Morgan County, Kentucky, at Maytown, Kentucky. To this marriage were born six children: Willa Mae, Virginia Blanche, Stella, (died in infancy) Berlin, (died in infancy) Dorothy Frances and Ruth Elizabeth. The two older ones were born in Kentucky, after which Maude and Lona moved to a farm near Charleston, Coles County, Illinois. It was here that they lived and educated their family. Since there were no boys, the girls learned to operate the farm equipment and helped with the farming at an early age. In later years, Lona was known as a breeder of Aberdeen Angus cattle, with which he won many blue ribbons in the livestock shows of the Midwest.

(9) *Willa Mae Henry* was born Feb. 21, 1902 at Maytown, Kentucky, and was married to John Franklin Moffitt, at Springfield, Illinois, Feb. 19, 1927. They have no children and now live in Decatur, Illinois.

(9) *Virginia Blanche Henry*, was born Dec. 5, 1903, Maytown, Kentucky, was married to Ralph Edward Brown, May 14, 1927, Decatur, Illinois. They have no children and now live in Decatur, Illinois.

(9) *Dorothy Frances Henry* born June 25, 1911, at Charleston, Illinois. She was active in 4-H Club work, exhibiting champion calves with her father at the livestock shows throughout the Midwest. She attended Teachers College, and taught in Decatur several years before her marriage. June 19, 1937, she was married to Hunter Moody at Allentown, Pennsylvania. Hunter was an aviation enthusiast, who with his brother, held the endurance record for a time in the 1930's. During World War II, he was a ferry pilot between Canada and England. From this marriage there are two children, Henri Ann Moody (10) born Sept. 7, 1942, Montreal, Canada, and Hunter Courtland Moody, Jr. (10) born Sept. 14, 1945 in Montreal, Canada. Dorothy and Hunter were divorced in November 1958. The children live with their mother at Decatur, Illinois.

(9) *Ruth Elizabeth Henry*, born Jan. 11, 1918 at Charleston, Illinois. She, also, was active in 4-H Club work, and exhibited champion calves at the Midwest shows. She attended the State Teachers College and taught before her marriage. June 15, 1939 she was married to Robert Milton Foreman of Charleston, Illinois. They have two children, Linda Sue (10) born Oct. 24, 1942 at Charleston, and William Henry Foreman (10) born July 31, 1948, at Charleston, Illinois. Robert is a farmer in Coles, County, near Charleston.

(8) *Claude Buckner Swango*, was born Nov. 8, 1887 at Maytown, Morgan County, Kentucky, and died near Coburg, Oregon, March 27, 1957 and was buried there. His early life was spent on the farm at Falling Water Creek, Wolfe County, Kentucky. As a young man, he went West with a younger brother, where they found employment in the redwood timber, near Weed, California. In the summer they worked in the timber, and went to school during the winter in Stockton, California. While at Weed, he met and married the Superintendent's daughter, Maude Murphy, formerly of Portland, Oregon, Dec. 27, 1913. They settled on a ranch near Eugene, Oregon, where he lived until death. They had three children, Charles William, LeRoy Bruce, and Florence Mabel.

(9) *Charles William Swango* was born Nov. 9, 1914 near Coburg, Oregon, where he grew up and now lives. On June 2, 1932 at Vancouver, Washington, he was married to Catherine E. Drury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Drury of Cottage Grove, Oregon. They have three children, Patricia Ann, Susan Kay and Wayne Bruce.

(10) *Patricia Ann Swango* was married to Wilbert Schiewe, June 24, 1955, at Eugene, Oregon. She was born September 30, 1933, and is now a school teacher in Home Economics. They have no children.

(10) *Susan Kay Swango* born July 3, 1938 in Eugene, Oregon, lives on the ranch with her parents, and attends the University of Oregon.

(10) *Wayne Bruce* was born March 25, 1945 at Eugene. Lives on the ranch and attends Coburg High School.

(9) *LeRoy Bruce Swango*, born Nov. 11, 1916 at Coburg, Oregon, where he grew up and attended school in Eugene. On Nov. 10, 1945 in Reno, Nevada, he was married to Janice Walkley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walkley of Mill Valley, California. LeRoy is an Architect and Contractor in Mill Valley where they now live. There are three children, Rhonda Swango (10), born Jan. 23, 1950 at San Rafael, California, Debra Swango (10) born Jan. 1, 1952 at Ross, California, and Michael David (10) born April 8, 1953 at Ross, California.

(9) *Florence Mabel Swango*, born near Coburg, Oregon, Jan. 8, 1919. Following graduation from Coburg High school, she entered Nursing School. Nov. 9, 1940, at Eugene, she was married to Vernon Keith Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon C. Jones of Corvallis, Oregon. Keith is a graduate in Engineering from Oregon State College, and is a civilian employee with the U. S. Army Engineering Corps, where he is chief of flood control. Their children are Stephen Patrick Jones (10) born at Pendleton, Oregon, March 16, 1942, and Marilyn Eileen Jones (10) born at Eugene, Feb. 1, 1945. The Joneses are now living in Portland, Oregon.

(8) *Noah Bruce Swango*, the second son of William Washington Swango was born at Valeria, Wolfe County, Kentucky, Feb. 26, 1890. He and his older brother, Claude, went to Weed, California, where they were employed in the timber business, when they were very young. He too, attended school at Stockton during the winter. After serving as an officer in the United States Army during World War I, he returned to California. On July 10, 1919 at Yreka, California, he was married to Marjorie E. Vickery of Redding. They had one child, a daughter, Jan Lynette, who was born Dec. 23, 1921 at San Francisco. In the fall of 1922, while at his work, Bruce received an injury causing thrombosis of the abdominal vessels and subsequent infection. This resulted in his death, Oct. 8, 1922 at Eugene, Oregon.

(9) *Jan Lynette Swago*, was under one year of age at the time of her father's death. She was reared by her mother and her step-father in the San Francisco Bay area, where she attended college. July 20, 1947 at Seattle, Washington, Jan Lynette was married to William E. Humphrey of Monrovia, California. They now live at Walnut Creek, where Bill is employed in the Engineering profession. They have two children, Gia Lwana (10) born in Oakland, May 23, 1951, and DeeCern, (10) born March 14, 1956 at Concord, California.

(8) *Edgar Clay Swango*, who was born Jan. 9, 1893 on Falling Water Creek in Wolfe County, Kentucky, went to California when only a lad of fifteen years, where he joined his older brothers. He also worked in the timber business in summer and went to school during the winter. Early in World War I, he volunteered his services in the U. S. Army. While at Ft. Sill Oklahoma, he was stricken with measles and pneumonia from which he died, Dec. 16, 1917. He is buried in the family plot on Falling Water Creek, near his mother and father. Clay was never married.

(8) *Stella Mae Swango* was born March 5, 1895 on Falling Water Creek, Wolfe County, Kentucky. She attended Hazel Green Academy and taught school in Kentucky and Illinois. Dec. 31, 1915, at Charleston, Illinois, she was married to Robert Bruce Tutt, who is a son of Thomas Tutt, Wolfe County, Kentucky. They made Illinois their home until 1957, when they moved to Phoenix, Arizona. They have four children, Roberta Mae, Thelma Ruth, Juanita Ellen, and Thomas Wright.

(9) *Roberta Mae Tutt*, born April 27, 1918 at Hazel Green Kentucky, attended the State Teachers College at Charleston, Illinois and Berea College in Kentucky, where she obtained an A.B. degree. She has taught school in Illinois, Kentucky and for the Armed Forces in Japan and Germany. June 7, 1940, she was married to James R. Gibbons, of Mattoon, Illinois. James is making a career in the Armed Services, where he is a Warrant Officer. He, Roberta and James, Jr., have spent several years in Japan and Germany. They are now stationed in Seattle, Washington. Their only child is James Richard Gibbons, Jr., (10), who was born Jan. 12, 1942.

(9) *Thelma Ruth Tutt*, born Mar. 15, 1923, graduated from Hindsboro, Illinois High School. She was married to Charles Bartimus of Illinois, Aug. 11, 1946. Charles is Principal and administrator of the Mayer, Arizona school system, where they now live. They have one child, a son, Ted Allen Bartimus, born Feb. 22, 1953.

(9) *Juanita Ellen Tutt*, born Oct. 13, 1925, graduated from the Hindsboro, Illinois High School, attended business school and worked in the U. S. Navy Yards at Portsmouth, Virginia. She married Thomas Gay of Jackson, North Carolina, June 1, 1945. They had one child, a daughter, Judith May Gay (10) born March 27, 1948. Juanita and Thomas were divorced in 1950. She is now with the I.B.M. Department of Goodyear Aircraft Corporation at Linchfield, near Phoenix, Arizona. She and Judy are at home with her parents at Glendale, Arizona.

(9) *Thomas Wright Tutt*, born Feb. 21, 1930, and graduated from Charleston Illinois High School. He married Jane Hall of Paris, Illinois, May 30, 1951. They live in Mattoon, Illinois, where he is with the A. & B. Transfer Company. One child, a son, Timothy Thomas Tutt (10) was born March 4, 1953.

(8) *Stephen Floyd Swango* was born at Valaria, Wolfe County Kentucky, Dec. 17, 1896, and died in Portland, Oregon on Feb. 11, 1955. He too, joined his brothers at Weed, California when he was eighteen years of age. In a few years he volunteered his services in the United States Navy during World War I, and was on the battleship *Utah* when it met President Wilson on his visit to France for arrangements of the peace treaty. On being discharged, he returned, by way of Kentucky, for a short visit before going on to California. After several years, he went to Portland, Oregon where he became associated with the "Oregonian". There he was married to Alma Polley. They have one child, a son, Ronald (9) who was born March 18, 1943. A valvular heart condition, which had troubled Floyd since his tour of duty in the Navy, became progressively worse. He consented to a corrective operation, which was rather new in heart surgery, and it was during this operation that he died in a Veterans Hospital in Portland, Oregon. His widow and Ronald, are now living in Portland.

(8) *William Ray Swango* was born at Helechawa, Wolfe County, Kentucky, July 11, 1907. (As a child he was called X-Ray). This was the seventh child of William Washington Swango (7) and the only child by a second marriage to Sarah Ellen Vest of Ezel, Morgan County, Kentucky. Sarah Ellen now lives in Ironton, Ohio, (1959).

Ray lived at Hazel Green, Kentucky, until graduating from Hazel Green Academy, where he was valedictorian of the class of 1928. That Fall he entered Transylvania College at Lexington, Kentucky, where he worked for the Lexington Leader after school. In June 1932 he was graduated from Transylvania with an A.B. degree. In June 1937 he was graduated from Tulane University of New Orleans with the degree of Doctor of Medicine, the next year serving an internship at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky. From here he went to Ashland, Kentucky, with the Boyd County Health Department, and in 1938 he crossed the Ohio River to Ironton, Lawrence County, Ohio, where he entered the private practice of medicine and surgery. In 1942 he was married to Thelma Martin, daughter of Carl and Vergie (White) Martin of Chesapeake, Ohio. They have two children, William Roger (9) born Feb. 21, 1943, and Suzanne Swango (9) born June 16, 1949.

During World War II Doctor Ray volunteered his services to the United States Medical Corps and went on duty with the Army Air Force June 2, 1942 at Lemoore, California. This tour of duty took him overseas for two years, where he was with the 8th Air Force in the European Theatre of Operation. Jan. 2, 1946, he became a Major in the Army of the United States Medical Corps, and was honorably discharged Jan. 21, 1946, at Sioux City, Iowa. On completion of this military service, he returned to his private practice in Ironton, Ohio, where he and his family now live, 1959.

Andrew Chapman Swango was born June 3, 1863, and died Nov. 12, 1894 in Wolfe County, Kentucky. He married Rebecca Kash in 1886. Several children died in infancy. One son survived.

Lenix, son of Chapman Swango, was born March 1, 1886 in Maytown, Kentucky, and died Feb. 27, 1931 in Fairgrange, Illinois. He married Elizabeth Wells, who was born in Willington, Kentucky, Mar. 21, 1891 and died in Maytown, Kentucky, Oct. 2, 1917. She was a daughter of Robert Wells and Elizabeth Nickell. She left two children.

Rebecca Maurine, daughter of Lenix Swango, born March 26, 1911 in Maytown, Kentucky. She married Walter Gibbs February 25, 1933 in Tuscola, Illinois. He died on April 10, 1933. She later married Harold B. Sunkle on January 16, 1937 in Charleston, Illinois. She has no children of her own. She helped raise Sunkle's children by a former marriage.

Robert Chapman, son of Lenix Swango, was born at Maytown, Kentucky, March 18, 1916. He is single and is living with his stepmother in Fairgrange, Illinois.

Lenix Swango later married Lucy Oldfield in Maytown, Kentucky, on March 22, 1918. She was a daughter of Asa Curtis Nickell and Emily McClure, her birth place and date being August 12, 1892, Morgan County, Kentucky. There were three children born to this union:

Maxine, daughter of Lenix Swango, was born at Maytown, Kentucky, March 30, 1919. She married Hugh Mercer in Louisville, Kentucky, September 24, 1949. She works in the offices of Coles Co. Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Comm., a position she has held for several years. They have no family.

Lenix Harold, son of Lenix Swango, was born July 13, 1923, in Fairgrange, Illinois. He married Elise Bryant of Highland Co., Ohio. She was a daughter of Martin Bryant, of Hillsboro, Ohio. They were married at Dayton, Ohio, June 20, 1953. They have one son and one daughter.

Karan Sue (adopted), born Oct. 13, 1954.

Fredrick Lenix (adopted), born Nov. 20, 1952.

Harold is employed as project engineer, Delco Products Division of General Motors Corp., Dayton Ohio. He is a graduate of University of Illinois.

Linden Clyde, son of Lenix Swango, was born March 27, 1931 in Fairgrange, Illinois. He married Betty Joyce Stiglis on Aug. 14, 1955 at Mattoon, Illinois. She is a daughter of Melvin and Viola Stiglis of Mattoon, Illinois. Her birth date was Dec. 13, 1932, at Cowden, Illinois. They have one son:

Gregory Lenix, born Aug. 8, 1956 in Mattoon, Illinois.

Julia Caroline, daughter of Stephen Swango, was born February 26, 1865, and died November 11, 1818. She married Zechriah Halsey, son of Harvey Halsey, who was born April 26, 1862 and died October 1, 1923. They were all of Wolfe County, Kentucky. They ran a general store until 1902 at Valeria, Kentucky. They then moved to western Missouri where they farmed. They had a family of three girls and two boys.

Lillie Adelia Halsey, daughter of Zechriah Halsey, was born January 31, 1882 in Kentucky and died January 19, 1944. She married Willie Elmer Little of Kentucky. They had a family of six children:

Margaret Little, married Floyd Lane of Colorado. They have one son, Ronnie Lane.

Reece Little is married and has one son, Reece Earl Little.

Ray Little is married and has one daughter, Carlaray Little.

Ova Little is married and has one son and one daughter, Judy and Jerry.

Gano Little was married and divorced, married again, and has no children.

Eva Little married a Conner. He was killed in World War II while serving as a pilot. They have one daughter, Sharon Conner

Grover Chapman Halsey, son of Zechriah Halsey was born January 6, 1884. He married Elizabeth Caroline Henry who was born February 3, 1884. She was a daughter of John M. Henry and Mary Elizabeth Lincous, all of Wolfe County, Kentucky. They went to Missouri where they farmed for a number of years. They then came to Illinois and farmed until their retirement. Four sons and one daughter were born of this union:

Henry Herbert Halsey, son of Grover Halsey was born July 26, 1902 and died May 20, 1923.

Pearl Edith Halsey, daughter of Grover Halsey, was born February 14, 1904 and died December 7, 1904.

Asa Chapman Halsey, son of Grover Halsey was born October 20, 1903. He married Frances Combs, of Hindsboro, Illinois, daughter of Ellis Combs. They are farmers in Seven-hickory township, Coles County, Illinois. They have four daughters:

Loretta Ann Combs, born February 3, 1940.

Audrey Combs, born December 5, 1941.

Asalee Combs, born March 4, 1948.

Rhodamary Combs, born July 5, 1953.

Buford Halsey, son of Grover Halsey was born July 20, 1909. He married Estella Emberton on March 2, 1932. She was a daughter of Elisha Emberton, a blacksmith in Kemp, Illinois. At present Buford is living at Sornor, California, and is managing a ranch there. They had one daughter who died at birth.

Paul Halsey, son of Grover Halsey, was born September 22, 1913. He married Viola Toland on November 30, 1933. She was a daughter of Fred Toland and Ruth Clapp, of near Hindsboro, Illinois. They are farmers in Hutton township, Coles County, Illinois. There are three children, two sons and one daughter:

Paul Halsey Jr., married Pat Kelly. They have one daughter born on July 20, 1957.

Linda Sue Halsey, married George Wiley. They live near Indianapolis, Indiana and have one son and one daughter.

Jerry Halsey, married Julene Taylor. He works on the farm.

Azzie Myrtle Halsey, daughter of Zechriah Halsey was born December 17, 1885. She died October 7, 1918. She married Floyd Cannoy. They farmed until her death in Illinois. Floyd was a son of James (Jim) Cannoy and Nickell. They had five children; one died in infancy.

Verna Cannoy married Earle Wilson. They have a cleaning and pressing shop in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois. They have one daughter, Jackie Cannoy who is married and has a daughter.

Minnie Cannoy was married, but was killed in an auto accident.

Cletis Cannoy, married Don Day and lives in Beloit, Wisconsin. She has worked for the telephone company for a number of years. They have five children:

Donna Jean Day, Beverly Day, Nancy Day, Lynn Day, and Jimmy Day.

Fred Cannoy, married Virginia Rhodes, a daughter of Ross Rhodes of Hindsboro, Illinois. They are farming near Muscoda, Wisconsin. They have two sons and two daughters:

Larry Wayne Cannoy, Mary Jo Cannoy, Gary Jack Cannoy, and Margaret Cannoy.

Verna Elizabeth Halsey, daughter of Zechriah Halsey was born November 8, 1887 and died April 1929. She married Harry Cline. They lived in Texas and the families are still there. There are two sons:

Carl Cline was born ————and died January 1944. He was married and had two sons: Harry Cline and Bill Cline.

Leo Cline is married and has four children: twins (one boy and one girl) and two adopted daughters. He was Captain in World War II and is still in the service.

Jesse Thurman Halsey, son of Zechriah Halsey, was born March 8, 1890. He married Anna Lucis and was divorced in later years after raising their family of eleven children.

Sylvia Halsey, was born December 4, 1917. She married Melvin Miller. They have one son and one daughter and live in Missouri.

Leroy Halsey was born August 26, 1920. He married Ruth Poots. They have three sons and one daughter.

Florance Halsey was born April 20, 1921 and died ———.

Clara Marie Halsey was born May 25, 1922. She married Emmitt Miller and has one daughter.

Robert Halsey was born May 18, 1924, is married and has two daughters.

Albert Halsey was born April 13, 1926.

George Halsey was born March 25, 1928.

Ruby Halsey was born October 6, 1929. She married Claud Wallas and has one son.

Harold Halsey was born November 30, 1931. He married Carolyn Dempsy. They had one daughter who died as a baby.

Charley Halsey was born January 31, 1934. He died ———.

Bruce Halsey was born April 25, 1935. He married Betty Salmon, and had one daughter.

John Bruce Swango, son of Stephen Swango, born Oct. 18, 1870; Wolf Co., Kentucky. Died May 31, 1938, Coles Co., Illinois. Son of Stephen Swango and Sarah Jane Shackleford, her father's name being Abner Shackleford, and mother, maiden name Gasset. She was born June, 15, 1840. Breathet Co., Kentucky. Died Feb. 19, 1897.

Married *Lydia Ann Maxey* Feb. 12, 1891. She was born Dec. 12, 1866, died Sept. 26, 1947; daughter of Francis G. Maxey and Sarah Ingram, both of Morgan Co., Kentucky. They both taught school and farmed in Kentucky until Nov., 1903 when they moved to Coles Co., Illinois and followed farming the rest of their active life. They had three sons:

Leslie Omar, born Dec. 8, 1891, in Wolf Co., Kentucky, died May 15, 1956 in Coles Co., Illinois. Married *Jessie Fern Nixon*, Dec. 25, 1923. They had two daughters but were later divorced. He farmed until he retired about two years before his death.

Geneva Ruth, born Dec. 15, 1926; married *Warren K. Moody*, June 15, 1958. They reside in Mattoon, Illinois. They are both employed with the "Daily Journal-Gazette" of Mattoon. They have no family.

Mary Virginia, born Sept. 9, 1930. Married *Ralph Eugene Dare*, July 1950; son of *Roy Dare* and *Viola O'Dell* of Mattoon. They have four children. They farm on the home place of Omar.

Gloria Jean, born Aug. 8, 1951.

Virginia Dian, born March 2, 1954.

The twins *Danial Leroy* and *Debra Elaine* born Oct. 6, 1955.

Jesse Oliver, born Dec. 16, 1893, in Wolf Co., Kentucky, died Dec. 12, 1947 in Coles Co., Illinois. Married *Leyla Ritche*, Aug. 1920 and were divorced Jan. 14, 1930. There were no children by this union. He later married *Lorel Gross*, Sept. 4, 1933. He was a farmer. They had two daughters.

Stella Marie, born Sept. 9, 1934, married Richard Gregory on Sept. 29, 1952 in Christ's Church (Episcopal) on St. Simons Island, Georgia. They now reside in Brunswick, Georgia. They have two daughters and a son:

Cynthia Dian, born Oct. 21, 1953 in San Diego, California.

Renee Lynn, born in Sea Island, Georgia.

Barry Steven, born in Sea Island, Georgia.

Richard served in the Navy signal corps during World War II.

Dorothy Ann, born Nov. 9, 1935 in Coles Co., Illinois. She now lives in Jacksonville, Florida. She is employed at the Jacksonville, Florida State Bank.

Stephen Ottice, born Aug. 28, 1897 in Wolf Co., Kentucky. Married Estella Gertrude Jones, Dec. 29, 1920 in Coles Co., Illinois. Daughter of Harvey B. Jones and Jessie Ethel Moler, both of Coles Co., Illinois. They farmed as long as his health would permit. They have two sons and two daughters.

Bruce Lee, born Jan. 16, 1922 in Coles Co., Illinois. Married Mary June Werden, May 31, 1945, daughter of Charlie Werden and Grace Parksion of Coles Co., Illinois. She was born Nov. 29, 1923. They farm in Seven-Hickory township near Fairgrange, Illinois. He served in World War II from Jan. 1943 to Aug. 1945 in the 8th air-force; went to Airforce school at Creighton University in Omaha, Nebraska, and served as pilot on a B-17. Was stationed in England. While in training he was stationed at five different bases in California, one in New Mexico, one in Florida, and one in Georgia. He has 292 hr., 30 min. certified combat time and had every type of instrument card available at that time. Was in the 5000 plane raid on Berlin in the battle of the bulge in Jan. 1945. Was presented air-medal and six clusters, made sharpshooter with 45 cal. pistol. Took his plane and crew to England across the Atlantic Ocean non-stop from Goose Bay Labrador to Valley, Wales. They have one son and one daughter:

Max Eugene, born Aug. 2, 1946 in Coles Co., Illinois.

Susan Kay, born Mar. 21, 1949 in Coles Co., Illinois.

Mary Louise, born Dec. 16, 1923. Married Charles Robert Rule, Mar. 6, 1946 of Macon Co., Illinois. Son of Charles Rule and Nellie Campbell of near Bethany, Illinois. They are farmers near Bethany, Illinois. She worked several years in the offices of Laforgia, Samuel and Miller law firm; then during the war she was office manager of Haudia-Hershey war plant in Decatur, Illinois. Charles Robert was a scout under Patton's 3rd army command; was in the African invasion and stayed in the European theater until the close of the war. Was wounded while in France but was later able to resume his services. They have no family.

Stephen Lloyd, born Sept. 23, 1925 in Coles Co., Illinois. Married Betty Joan Shafer, Feb. 5, 1950 in Edgar Co., Illinois. Daughter of Archiball Perry Shafer and Maude Rhoden both of Coles Co., Illinois. They are farmers in Seven-Hickory Township about three miles north of Charleston, Illinois. Stephen Lloyd was in the Counter-Intelligence of the Air-Force. Was schooled in Baltimore, Maryland. Was stationed in East Germany for several months. He had reported that one of the out-posts was improperly guarded. His commanding officer said 'prove it'. He picked three or four of his best men dressed as native civilians and went in and took radios, guns, ammunition and receiving sets. He never knew what happened to the men in charge of the outpost, but he did know that you could not get near the place after that—guards everywhere. They have two sons: *Billy John*, born Aug. 4, 1951; *Stephen Ray*, born July 9, 1954.

Wanda Mae, born Aug. 23, 1930; married Clyde Warner in Moultrie Co., Illinois, Sept. 17, 1949. He was born July 14, 1926; a son of Thomas Warner and Eddie Davenport both of Mercer Co., Kentucky. They came to Illinois when Clyde was a small boy. Like other young men of the country, he served in the armed forces of his country. They have two sons:

Terry Lee, born April 25, 1951.

Tony Alan, born June 26, 1954.

Jesse Lee, son of Stephen Swango, born Oct. 10, 1872, died Apr. 18, 1940. Married Rose L. Kash, daughter of Eli Kash and Lizzie Swetnam, all of Kentucky. Rose Lenora was born June 21, 1878; died Nov. 26, 1918. He taught school and farmed while in Kentucky. In 1903 the family moved to a farm near Lamar, Missouri, where they resided for a year. They then moved to a farm in Bates Co., Missouri, where they lived until the spring of 1906. They then moved to a farm near Welch, Indian-Territory. In 1910 they moved on a farm on Route 3, Miami, Oklahoma which was their family home until death. His wife and one daughter died in 1918 with the flu, leaving him with a family of several children; which he raised to be grown on this family farm. There were nine children:

Pearlie Olive, born Feb. 20, 1896. Died Dec. 6, 1918. She married Claude Wynn and left two children.

Lloyd Lee, born June 20, 1914; address unknown.

Jewell Alberta, born Feb. 14, 1918; married Ellsworth Dover and reside in Fairland, Oklahoma. They have three children.

Tom Watson, born Dec. 25, 1897. Married Gladys Schuth. They have two children. He taught school in Oklahoma many years, later moving to Illinois, and now is teaching in the public schools of Charleston, Illinois. He resides at 226 Jackson, Charleston, Illinois.

Nellie Roberta, born Dec. 20, 1924. Died Jan. 4, 1925.

Goldie Ermine, born Apr. 6, 1926. Married John W. Rothrock and resides at 123 west End Ave., North Plainfield, New Jersey. They have two children:

Janet, born in 1950.

Susan, July, 1958.

Ora Bell, born April 21, 1900. Died Oct. 2, 1902.

John Chapman, born June 9, 1902. Married Mary Wilson of Welch, Oklahoma. He worked in the lead and zinc mines of Oklahoma a number of years before moving to Illinois to farm. They now reside at R.R. 1, Hindsboro, Illinois. They have one son and two daughters:

John DeMier, born Dec. 2, 1923. Married Wilma Moffett of Charleston, Illinois. She is the daughter of Ben Moffett. They are farmers in Seven-Hickory Township. They have two adopted children they have taken into their hearts and home:

Twilla, born Oct. 9, 1951.

Gaylon Lynn, born June, 15, 1957.

Rosemary Sue, born Dec. 12, 1926, died Jan. 13, 1928.

Sammye Lou, born Nov. 18, 1928. Married Arthur Aikman of Mattoon, Illinois. He is a teacher in the schools of Cissna Park, Illinois. They have two sons:

William Arthur, born in June 16, 1952.

Robert Allen, born in May 10, 1948.

Eugene Leland, born Aug. 3, 1904. Died Oct. 26, 1951. Married Bessie Yadon. They were farmers near Welch, Oklahoma. They have three children:

Virginia Lee, born Mar. 27, 1924. She married Clarence Edwards and reside in Merriam, Kansas. They have three children: Rudy and twins, born in 1952.

Ellen Louise, born Aug. 11, 1924. Married John Stevens and live at 2028 Mary St., Ponca City, Oklahoma. They have three children: John, —————, —————.

Benjamin Eugene, born Aug. 19, 1928. Married Velma McNelis and reside at 832 7th Ave., Miami, Oklahoma. They have two children: Shelia and Randy Eugene.

Jesse Stephen, born Sept. 18, 1906. Married Myrtle Lytle. They live on a farm near Miami, Oklahoma. They have one son and one daughter:

George Lee, born Oct. 17, 1925. Married Vera ?? She is from Italy of Yugo-Slavic origin. He served in various parts of the world while in services during World War II. They have no children.

Patty Louise, born Nov. 30, 1927. She married Lloyd Cole. They live in Stillwell, Oklahoma. They have two children; Sherry and ??

James Emmett, born Dec. 30, 1908. Died June 29, 1941. Married Brooxie Fansler. They had no family.

Oliver Kash, born Jan. 17, 1911. Died Jan. 8, 1948. Married Christine Fansler. They farmed in Illinois several years then returned to Oklahoma and were farming there at the time of his death. Two daughters:

Erma Colleen, born Dec. 3, 1933. Married William Moore, of Sudan, Missouri. He was stationed on the Bermuda Islands during the war. His hobby is making airplanes and ships. They live at 626½ McCandless Road, Wichita, Kansas. No family.

Shirley Rose, born Mar. 30, 1936. She lives with her grandmother near Welch, Oklahoma.

Albert Andrew, born Mar. 28, 1913. Married Muriel Van Ness, they are farmers west of Welch, Oklahoma. They have four children:

Andrew Lee, born May 30, 1934. Married Donna Willis, of Welch, Oklahoma. He is working with a telephone company at present. They have three children: Donna, Carol Ann and ??

John Bruce, born Mar. 12, 1937. Married Joan Pierce of Welch, Oklahoma. He is with the New York Yankee ball team at the present. They have one son, John Scott, born in 1958.

Larry James, born Oct. 26, 1939. Married Lora Durham. He is attending veterinary school. They have one child, Renae LaNette, born in 1957.

Alberta Ann, born Dec. 15, 1943. Lives with her parents.

Linda Sue, married George Wiley. They live in Indianapolis, Indiana. He works in the stockyards there. They have one girl and one boy, Jerry, who married Julene Taylor, May 27, 1958.

Azzie Myrtle, born Dec. 17, 1885. Died Oct. 7, 1918. Married Floyd Cannoy of Kentucky. They moved to Illinois and followed farming. Azzie and a baby died with the measles in the spring of 1917. They had five children:

Verna, married Earl Wilson; they have one daughter Jacklyn.

Minnie, married ??. Was killed in an auto accident.

Cletis, married Don Day. They live in Beloit, Wisconsin. She has worked in the post-office there for a number of years. They have a family of five children:

Donna Jean, Beverly, Nancy, Lynn, and Jimmie.

Fred, married Virginia Rhodes, daughter of Ross Rhodes of near Hindsboro, Illinois. They farmed in Illinois for several years, then moved near Richland, Wisconsin, where they bought a farm and now they have a nice dairy farm. They have four children:

Larry Wayne, Mary Jo, Garry Jack, and Margaret.

Verna Elizabeth, born Nov. 8, 1887. Died Apr. 1929. Married Harry W. Cline. They lived in Texas. They had two boys:

Carl, born ?? Died Jan. 1944. Two sons: *Harry and Bill.*

Leo, married ?? Have four children, twins—1 boy, 1 girl. They also adopted two girls. He was Captain in World War II. Is still in the service of his country.

Jesse Thurman, born Mar. 8, 1890. Married Anna Lucis, born Feb. 23, 1899. They made their home in Missouri near Fulton. Had a family of eleven. They were divorced in later years. He now lives on a farm of his own.

Sylvia, born Dec. 4, 1917. Married Melvin Miller. Have two children.

LeRoy, born Aug. 26, 1920. Married Ruth Poats. Have four children.

Florence, born Apr. 20, 1921; died ??.

Clara Marie, born May 25, 1922. Married Emmit Miller, one girl.

Robert, born May 18, 1924; married ??. Two daughters:

Albert, born Apr. 13, 1926.

George, born Mar. 25, 1928; died ??.

Harold, born Nov. 30, 1931; married Carolyn Dempsy; one girl ——— died?

Ruby, born Oct. 6, 1929; married Claude Wallace; one son.

Charley, born Jan. 31, 1934; died ??.

Bruce, born Apr. 25, 1935; married Betty Salmon, have one girl.

Lou Emma Swango, daughter of (Red) Stephen Swango, and Sarah Jane Shackelford, born 2-6-69. Died 7-31-41. Married Edgar Taylor Kash, Hazel Green, Kentucky, who was born 2-18-'67. Died 12-17-'46. To this union were born 10 children: four boys, and six girls as follows:

Arthur Bruce Kash, born 8-15-'89. Hazel Green, Kentucky. Teacher, Soldier of World War I, Traveling Salesman, and Wolfe circuit clerk 24 years. Married Emma Lou Wells 6-19-12. No children. Four foster children were reared as follows: Lula Kash, Arthur Garrett Kash, Elsie Little Kash, and Nancy Lee Kash.

Ottis Neri Kash, born 5-15-'92, Hazel Green, Kentucky. Teacher, farmer, merchant, killed in a car wreck 11-1940. First married to Arizona Rose, Campton, Kentucky. Two children, Genoa Lou Kash, and Arthur Garrett Kash; then a divorce was had, and he was married to Lillian Dean. Four children born to this union as follows: William Dean, Robert Gene, Maggie Lou, and Mabel Sue Kash.

Rose Clarice Kash, died March 1904, at the age of 10 years.

Grace Jane Kash, fourth child of Edgar T. and Lou E. Swango Kash was born June 11, 1896 at their farm home one mile below Hazel Green, Kentucky. On March 10, 1915 Grace married Samuel Lee Rose, son of James Buchanan and Julie Ann Wells Rose of Mize, Morgan County, Kentucky. Grace and Lee lived in Wolfe County, where they were school teachers, merchants and farmers until in July 1949 they moved to 4903 Southern Parkway, Louisville, Kentucky. Lee is an employee of The St. Joseph Infirmary and Grace is teaching Special Education in the City Schools of Louisville. They have four children and eleven grandchildren as follows:

Marcille Hines Rose, born September 12, 1916. Marcille was married to Charles William Dobbins, son of Leon and Katherine Collins Dobbins of Louisville, on June 30, 1943. Their home is 605 Emory Road, Louisville, Kentucky. Charles is an attorney and is presently serving his second term as County Attorney of Jefferson County. Their children:

Charles William Jr., born March 31, 1948.

Mark Wesley, born Feb. 7, 1953.

Katherine Rose (Kathy) born Nov. 4, 1955.

Geraldine Kay Rose, born June 28, 1918. Gerry, as she is called was married to Murl Livingston Burkhart, son of Jesse and Alyce Burkhart of Louisville, on October 10, 1941.

Suzanne Rose (adopted), Oct. 19, 1950.

Their children:

Patricia Jane, born March 5, 1955.

Kimberly Allyson, born Aug. 15, 1956.

Murl is Yard Master for L. & N. Rail Road and their home is 10009 Prairie Drive, Louisville, Kentucky.

Edgar Kash Rose, born October 17, 1921. Kash is an M.D. having graduated from Louisville Medical School and later specialized in Radiology. He married Barbette Brown Cramer, a registered nurse on February 14, 1947. They moved to California, in December, 1951. Their home is 1415 El Centro Ave., Napa, California. Kash follows his profession in both Napa, and Vallejo, California.

Their children:

Kenneth Grant Rose, born Nov. 20, 1947.

Garrett Kash, born Nov. 5, 1951.

Samuel Lee Rose Jr., born January 29, 1924. Lee married Donna Christine Dunn, daughter of Bill and Esther Dunn of Campton, Kentucky. Lee Jr., majored in Chemistry at the University of Louisville and is office manager of Louisville Chemical Co., Louisville, Kentucky.

Their children:

Stephen Lee, born July 22, 1951.

Michael Allen, born Sept. 22, 1955.

Christie Ann, born July 26, 1957.

Elizabeth Lucille Kash, born 1898, Hazel Green, Kentucky. Married Richard C. Page, Lexington, Kentucky, a civil Engineer, died 1941. Two children were born, Richard C. Page Jr., and Arthur Sue Ann Page.

Minnie Mable Kash, sixth child of Edgar J. and Lou E. Swango Kash, was born in 1900, at Hazelgreen, Kentucky. She was a school teacher. Married William V. Hollon, and lives in Barstow, California. They had one child:

Patricia Ann Hollon, born September 29, 1940. Married Donald Eugene Bristow of Las Vegas, Nevada on Oct. 11, 1958.

Mabel: Graduated from Hazel Green Academy, 1920. Attended Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio, 1922-23. Taught at Stanford, Kentucky—Seventh Grade, 1923-25. Graduated from Transylvania College A. V., 1927. Taught at Bergholz, Ohio High School, 1927-35. Taught at Granville, Ohio, critic teacher, 1935-37. Taught at Fairport Harbor, Ohio—History—1937, Jan. 1939. Studied at Columbia University, New York, Summers, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931. Received M.A. Degree from Columbia, June 1932. Married November 2, 1938 at Covington, Kentucky. Co-owner of Hollon Motel, Barstow, California. Assisted with management, from 1941 to the present time.

Volney Hollon (Who is now known as Bill) : Attended Hazel Green Academy. Assisted father on farm. Mail carrier from Hazel Green to Meriba, Kentucky. Worked as mechanic in Hazel Green garage. Worked for Swango Battery Co., Lexington, Kentucky, 1924. Clerk for Hotel Henning 1925-28 at Casper, Wyoming. Clerk for Townshend Hotel, Casper, Wyoming, 1929. Manager of Hotel, Las Vegas, Nevada, 1929-32. Operated Hollon Motel 1932-41. Operated New Hollon Motel 1941 to the present. He has also been ranching and buying and selling cattle since 1932.

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Patti Hollon: Student in Barstow since 1946 until June 1958. Graduated. Studied ballet and tap dancing. Studied piano 1944-1957. Member beginners band in grade school, 1949-1952. Member Junior High School Band, 1952-1955. Member Senior High School Band, 1955-57. Member California Scholarship Federation, two semesters. Worthy Advisor Rainbow for Girls, 1957. Member of Congregational Church and active in youth group. Member of Student Council in High School, cheerleader. Enrolled at University of California at Riverside, California, September 1958. Went to school three weeks, got married and dropped out of college. Now living at 325 Barstow Road, Apt. 3, Barstow, California.

(8) *Daisy Florence Kash*, born 1902, died 1904.

(8) *Ely Stephen Kash*, son of Edgar T. and Lou Emma Swango Kash, was born March 30, 1904 at Landsaw, Ky. He married Grey Nickell of Mize, Kentucky, on December 21, 1929. They moved to Detroit, Michigan in January 1934 and he engaged in the banking business and has lived there since. His address is 21533 Frazer Road, Detroit, Michigan. To this union one son, Stephen Niel Kash, was born December 21, 1930. He is a captain in the U. S. Marine Corps, a jet pilot and instructor in jet planes at Chase field, Belleville, Texas. Prior to entering service, he graduated from the University of Michigan and received a BS degree in advertising and design, June 10, 1952. In February 1952, Stephen Kash married Esther Chene, of Detroit, Michigan. They have three children, as follows:

- *Kathleen Kash*, age five years.

Christopher Stephen Kash, age three years.

Kelly James Kash, age 11 months.

(8) *Edgar Taylor Kash Jr.*, youngest son of Edgar T. and Lou Emma Swango Kash was born February 26, 1907. He was married to Nora Miller, daughter of Robert L. and Bertie Miller, on August 21, 1929. They have for several years resided at Hazel Green, Kentucky, where they have reared two children, a son and a daughter. Edgar Taylor Jr., is engaged in some farming operations and is a field auditor for the Selective Service System. His wife, Nora, is a school teacher in the Wolfe County School System. Their son, Edgar Taylor Kash III, is a soil scientist with the U. S. Department of Agriculture. He received his B. S. and M. S. degrees from the University of Kentucky. His wife is the former Lois Ann Byrd, daughter of Curtis and Jennie Taylor Byrd. They have one daughter, Kimberly Kash, born August 18, 1959. The daughter, Thelma Jo Kash, is Home Economist for Columbia Gas System with headquarters in Lexington, Kentucky. She received her B. S. degree from the College of Home Economics, University of Kentucky. She is married to William Thomas McAtee who is a student at University of Kentucky pursuing a course in Veterinary Medicine. They live in Lexington, Kentucky, and have no children.

(8) *Ada Thelma Kash*, born 1910, died 1918.

THE DESCENDANTS OF NANCY EVALINE SWANGO OF THE 7th GENERATION OF SWANGOS IN AMERICA

(7) *Nancy Evaline Swango*, the third daughter of Stephen Swango (6), was born May 31, 1875 in Wolfe County Kentucky, and died May 14, 1914. She was married to John M. Henry and had two sons and four daughters, Stephen, Asa, (deceased), Ivory, Sylvia, Golden and Ruby. They moved to Illinois, but returned to Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, where Evaline died.

(8) *Stephen Henry*, according to the last information was living at Collinsville, Illinois.

(8) *Asa*, who was married and now deceased, had three children, Evelyn (9) John (9) and Asa C., (9).

(8) *Ivory*, married a Prewitt and now lives in Winchester, Kentucky.

(8) *Sylvia Pearl Henry*, was born May 3, 1905 in Illinois, and was married to John Lindsay Prewitt, of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky on Aug. 8, 1922 at Lexington, Kentucky. They have several children, all of whom were born at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky. They are as follows: Betty Hathway, Fred Ellis, Jack Lindsay, William Henry, Robert Wilson, Susan Faye and Carolyn Halsey. Sylvia and Johnson now live in Winchester, Kentucky.

(9) *Betty Prewitt*, was born June 26, 1923 and was married to John Floyd Joseph, Jr., of Paris, Kentucky., Dec. 25, 1942. She died at Lexington, Kentucky, June 2, 1943.

(9) *Fred Prewitt*, who was born Dec. 19, 1925, served with the Fourth Marine Division during World War II. He was married to Pauline Brown of Richmond, Kentucky, May 24, 1952. They have two sons Fred Ellis, Jr., (10), born March 16, 1954, and Paul Douglas (10), born July 10, 1956.

(9) *Jack Prewitt*, was born Nov. 3, 1927 and served in the U. S. Air Force during World War II. He died April 9, 1952 in an Aircraft explosion off the coast of Japan during the Korean War.

(9) *William Henry Prewitt*, who was born June 14, 1930, also served in the United States Air Force during the World War II. He was married to Bertie Faye Craft at Lexington, Kentucky, April 18, 1953. They have a daughter Sharon Lynne,

born Jan. 16, 1956, (10).

(9) *Robert Wilson Prewitt*, who was born Aug. 20, 1932, served with the U. S. Air Force during the Korean War. He was married to Janet Bayes in Jeffersonville, Indiana, Feb. 25, 1956.

(9) *Susan Faye Prewitt*, who was born Aug. 9, 1936, and was married to Vernon Ray Vance, Winchester, Kentucky, Nov. 15, 1957.

Carolyn Halsey Prewitt, who was born Sept. 29, 1939, is at home.

Golden Henry, according to the last information was married to a Mr. Sanders and lived in San Antonio, Texas.

(8) *Ruby Henry*, according to the last information, was married to a Mr. Zarbaugh and also was living in San Antonio, Texas.

Mary Florence, daughter of Stephen Swango, (born June 26, 1877; died April 2, 1881), was accidentally strangled to death in a rope swing with which the little ones were playing.

Margaret Olive, daughter of Stephen Swango, born Sept. 16, 1880; died Jan. 10, 1924. Married Boyd Cannoy and moved to Illinois in 1902. Left a family of four sons and four daughters:

Jesse James, born Nov. 16, 1903. Married Louise Clark in Charleston, Illinois, August 14, 1930. Three sons and one daughter.

John Lee, born Oct. 13, 1931. Married Norma Lindquist of Santa Barbara, California, Oct. 7, 1951. They have two sons, one daughter:

Micheal Lawrence, born Jan. 13, 1955.

Marlyn, born Feb. 14, 1956.

Paul William, born Aug. 30, 1957.

John Lee served in the air-force from June 1, 1950 to July 1958.

Stephen Lyle, born April 10, 1934. Married Mary Hamilton in Matton, Illinois. They have two children:

Jesse Albert, born June 14, 1957.

Rhonda Jean, born Aug. 3, 1958.

Stephen Lyle served in the air-force from June 1954 to July 1957.

Jahala June, born Feb. 24, 1936. Married James F. Connour, of Hindsboro, Illinois, January 9, 1954. They have two sons:

Donald Eugene, born December 28, 1956.

Ralph Edward, born November 16, 1957.

Ronald Eugene, born January 7, 1944.

Stephen Franklin, born July 31, 1911. never married.

Felix Johnston, born August 15, 1915. Never married.

Boyd Lee, born 1912. Died at age of 13.

Florence, born Aug. 19, 1920. Died September 8, 1948.

Married Bill Smith in Mattoon, Illinois, August 1, 1939. They had two daughters:

Carolyn, born May 17, 1940.

Linda Elaine, born June 7, 1942.

Opal, born February 15, 1907. Married Don Henne January 29, 1934. They have two children:

Carolyn Joan, born March 2, 1938. Married Robert L. Law, May 14, 1955. They have one daughter: Cheryll Lynne, born June 1, 1958.

Oscar Phillip, born October 28, 1943.

Gladys, married Fred Roberts of Mattoon, Illinois. They resided near Lake Mattoon, for a number of years. He worked on the railroad. They had a family of four children. In later years they were divorced. Children: William, Fred Earl, Lloyd, Barbara.

Lottle, married Walter Jennings. They live southwest of Charleston on a small farm. He is a railroader out of Mattoon, Illinois. They have a family of four, two girls and two boys: Wayne, Jerry, Betty Jean, who married Billy Nickol and lives in Texas, and Joan.

Pearlie C., daughter of Stephen Swango, born August 3, 1882. Died February 11, 1943. Married James Murphy and lived with her father until his death. They bought the old homestead on a creek called Falling Water in Wolfe County, Kentucky, and lived there until 1925 when they moved to Coles County, Illinois. They raised six sons and four daughters: Stephen, Vernon, Glen, Wendell, Leland, Robert, Lula, Ruby, Aulsey, and Genevieve.

Green, the fourth son of George Washington and Loucinda Hollow Swango, was born June 11, 1839. He married Miss Rhoda Clark but they soon separated. She never married again but he later married Eletha Beashears and became a farmer and country school teacher. He was a teacher the tough boys dreaded and soon learned to respect. He settled on a creek called Calihoos; owned a large farm; never had any children and died in his home after a reasonably long live. He was a God fearing man and student of the Bible.

HAPPENINGS IN STEPHEN SWANGO'S

(6) COURTING DAYS

Stephen Swango, the third son of George Washington and Lucinda Swango, used to tell his grandchildren this trick that he pulled when he was courting their grandmother. Often when he went to the Shackelford home. Sarah Jane, (with whom he was in love), would be busy at the spinning wheel. If the rolls of carded wool were many, he would pinch a part of each roll away, thus shortening the time of spinning, and hastening the time for courting.

TAKEN FROM MARK TWAIN'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY,

This book was printed twenty years after the death of Mark Twain.

THE SWANGOS

(From the Hazel Green Kentucky Herald, Publisher, Spencer Cooper).

"Dr. Bill Swango is able to be in the saddle again.

Aunt Rhoda Swango visited Joseph Catron and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Shiloh Swango attended the auction at Maytown Saturday.

W. W. Swango has a nice bunch of cattle ready for the Mt. Sterling Market. James Murphy bought ten head of cattle from W. W. Swango last week.

Mrs. John Swango of Montgomery County, visited Shiloh Swango and family last week.

Mrs. Sarah Ellen Swango, wife of Wash the noted turkey trader of Valeria, was the guest of Mrs. Ben Murphy Saturday and Sunday."

(COMMENT BY MARK TWAIN)

"Now that is a very genuine and sincere and honest account of what the Swangos have been doing lately in the interior of Kentucky. We see at a glance what a large place that Swango tribe hold in the administration and worship of the villagers of Hazel Green, Kentucky. In this account, change Swango to Vanderbilt; then change it to Carnegie; next time change it to Rockefeller; next time change it to the President; next time to the Mayor of New York.



John Swango, son of George Washington and Lucinda Swango Hollon, was born April 10, 1841 at Campton, Kentucky; married Sarah C. Lewis, who was born December 7, 1844. He died in October, 1926. They settled on Stillwater Creek near Campton, Kentucky and engaged in farming and raising livestock.

Ella Jane Swango, daughter of John and Sarah Swango, was born December 7, 1863. She married Jonas Taulbee of Campton, Kentucky in 1882. To this union were born nine children, as follows:

John, first son of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, was born in 1884. He married Lillie Lawson. They had a family of four sons and five daughters.

Joanas Taulbee, first son of John and Lillie Taulbee, married Cora Patton and had one daughter who died in infancy. He is now divorced and lives with his parents at Lexington, Kentucky.

Robert Taulbee, the second son of John and Lillie Taulbee, married a lady from Lexington, Kentucky, where he now lives. He and his wife have six children.

Kenneth Taulbee, the fourth son of John and Lillie Taulbee, married a girl from Clark County and now lives in Lexington,

Kentucky. They have one son, Kenneth Ray.

Omar Taulbee, the third son of John and Lillie Taulbee, was never married and lives with his parents.

Josie, first daughter of John and Lillie Taulbee, married Raymond Rose, son of Willie and Callie Rose. They had one child, Velma. Raymond died in 1933. Later Josie married Ira C. Robinson, and is now living at Lexington, Kentucky.

Flossie, second daughter of John and Lillie Taulbee, married Bill Noe, of Harlan Co. Kentucky. Mr. Noe owns and operates tourists cabins about four miles out of Lexington, Kentucky. They have two sons and two daughters.

Gladys, third daughter of John and Lillie Taulbee, married a fellow from Columbus, Ohio and has one son.

Rachel, fourth daughter of John and Lillie Taulbee, married Ambrose and has four children.

Lillie Grace, fifth daughter of John and Lillie Taulbee, married James Fox from Clark Co. They have three children.

Sam, the second son of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, was born March 15, 1886. He married Alice Lawson, a sister of his brother John's wife. They had the following children: Forrest, Ernest, Milford, Marjorie, and Eller.

Forrest and Ernest, sons of Sam and Alice Taulbee, married sisters from Morgan County, Kentucky. They now live in Lexington, Kentucky. They are employed on a race horse farm.

Milford, son of Sam and Alice Taulbee, served in the U. S. Army during World War I. He married a lady from Ohio, where he now lives.

Marjorie, daughter of Sam and Alice Taulbee, married Warren Tolson. To this union seven children were born. They were divorced. She then married Joe Smith. They had two sons.

Eller, second daughter of Sam and Alice Taulbee, married Henry Banks of Perry County, Kentucky. They had one son, Raymond Banks. He served four years in the U. S. Army.

Alice Taulbee died and Sam married Susie Stamper of Stillwater, Kentucky. To them were born one son and five

girls. They were: Mason, Dorothy, Thelma, Lavon, Betty Jane, and Mary Susan. I have no record of Mason Taulbee.

Dorothy, daughter of Sam and Susie Taulbee, married Seldon Houndshell of Germantown, Ohio. At the time of their marriage he was serving in the armed forces during World War II.

Thelma, daughter of Sam and Susie Taulbee, married Bill Jeff Wells, a veteran of World War II. She had four children and lives in Dayton, Ohio.

Lavon, daughter of Sam and Susie Taulbee, married Don Lockhart. At the time of their marriage he was serving in the U. S. Air Force. She has four children and lives at Hazelgreen, Kentucky.

Betty Jane, daughter of Sam and Susie Taulbee, married Ernie Tyra. They have one child, Debra.

Mary Susan, daughter of Sam and Susie Taulbee, is the youngest of the family. She is employed and lives in Ohio.

Lula, born April 25, 1891, oldest daughter of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, married Alfred Stone, a farmer. They live on Devils Creek in Wolfe Co., Kentucky. Had twelve children; three died in infancy.

Palace, first daughter of Lula and Alfred Stone, married Elmo Green and lives in Lexington, Kentucky. She has two children.

Edith, second daughter of Lula and Alfred Stone, married Elwood Creech, who was serving the U. S. Army; has three sons and one daughter. They live in Lexington, Kentucky where he is employed at a Veterans Hospital.

Edna, third daughter of Lula and Alfred Stone, married Narvel Hatton of Vortex, Kentucky in Wolfe Co., and has four daughters and two sons.

Alberta, youngest daughter of Lula and Alfred Stone, married James Little of Mary, Kentucky, Wolfe Co. She is living in Lexington where her husband is employed. They have two children, a son and a daughter.

Jim, first son of Lula and Alfred Stone, married Hazel Taulbee. She died in 1955, leaving three small children, one

son, Isaac Darrel, and two daughters, Elizabeth Gale and Shirley Edith.

Jacob Astor, third son of Lula and Alfred Stone, married Eunice Burton and lives on Bloody Creek in Wolfe Co. Kentucky. Have two sons Donnie and Clay; two daughters, Myra and Yvonne.

Wilson, son of Lula and Alfred Stone, married Betty Jean Haddix and is living on Devils Creek in Wolfe County, Kentucky.

Maynard, youngest son of Lula and Alfred Stone, is living in Lexington where he is doing farm work.

Clifford, son of Lula Stone, married Opal Hays of Lexington, Kentucky. He died in 1952, leaving two small sons.

Sarah, second daughter of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, married Louis Abner of Lee Co., Kentucky. She was born Sept. 29, 1893. Louis died in 1944 leaving six children. Colman the first son, married Omalenia Gabbard of Lee Co., Kentucky, and has two sons, Gary and Archie Louis.

James, second son of Sarah Louis Abner, married Arbutus Johnson and has one son. He served in the U. S. Army during World War II.

Sam, married a woman from Michigan and has two daughters. He also served in the U. S. Army during World War II.

Frank, youngest son of Sarah and Louis Abner, is a Korean veteran; he was discharged from the U. S. Army in 1953. Married in 1955 to a girl from Lee Co., Kentucky, where he is now living.

Emma Jo, first daughter, married Raymond Marshall shortly after he was discharged from the U. S. Army. They have two sons, George and Everett Lee.

Lorena, youngest daughter, married Silas Marshall, brother to Raymond. They have two children. Silas is employed in Michigan.

Anna Bell, third daughter of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, was born August 10, 1895, and married Porter Shull. He died in 1926, leaving five children: two sons and three daughters. Later, Anna Bell married Wesley King and had two sons,

Wesley and James. She then divorced Wesley and in later years married Thomas Agee. It wasn't long until they were divorced and she lives by herself on Bloody Creek in Wolfe Co., Kentucky.

Orpha, first daughter of Anna Bell Shull, married James Noble and has three sons and three daughters. They live in Michigan.

Joyce, second daughter of Anna Bell Shull, married Clayburn Pelfery. She died in 1941, leaving a small daughter.

Jewell, youngest daughter of Anna Bell Shull, married James William Burton and has four children, Douglas, Timothy, and Gregory; one daughter, Marlene.

Kernie, oldest son of Anna Bell Shull, married Mary Neely in 1944 and he died in 1947. He served in the U. S. Army in World War II.

Corbet, second son of Anna Bell, married Frances Barnes from Grayson Co., Kentucky. They have two sons and a daughter.

Wesley, son of Anna Bell Shull, is serving in the U. S. Air Force and is stationed in Newfoundland.

Jimmy, son of Anna Bell Shull, was discharged in 1954, went to Michigan and married and is employed there.

Alice Rose, fourth daughter of Ella and Jonas Taulbee, was born October 25, 1897, married Shirley Childers and had one child, Geneva. She and the child died with the flu in 1917.

Lillie, fifth daughter of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, was born February 19, 1900, married Shirley Childers, husband of Alice Rose; they had two children, a son, James Paul and a daughter, Olive Marie.

James Paul served in the U. S. Army during World War II. After being discharged he married a lady from Clark Co., Kentucky. He now lives at Richmond, Kentucky, where he works for the Bell Telephone Co. He has two children.

Olive Marie, married Omar Lanter Terpin. They live at Lexington, Kentucky. Have two children, a son James and a daughter Lily.

James, the third son of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, was

born February 22, 1902, married Ollie Oliver in 1924. She died in 1925. Later James married Virgie Taulbee and finally settled on Devils Creek in Wolfe Co., Kentucky. They had three daughters and three sons. One daughter died in infancy.

Eunice, oldest daughter, married Joel Drexel who has been serving in the U. S. Navy for seven years. Eunice is a school teacher and is employed in Wolfe Co., Kentucky. She has one son Bethel Gene.

Alice, second daughter, married James F. Cornett who is serving in the U. S. Navy. She is also a school teacher and is employed in Wolfe Co., Kentucky. She has one son, Robert Dean.

James Elmer, (*Bud*), born in 1936, first son of James Taulbee, joined the U. S. Marine Corps May 11, 1954, and is now stationed in Japan, where he will spend the remainder of his term.

Charles Anmer, born 1938 second son, lives with his parents.

Norman Kendell, born 1951, youngest son of James Taulbee, is also living with his parents.

Elmer, the youngest son of Ella Jane and Jonas Taulbee, was born July 25, 1904, married Gipsie Oliver, sister of James' first wife. She died, leaving three daughters. Elmer now lives in Michigan.

Amanda Jane, first daughter of Elmer Taulbee, married and lives in Michigan. She has three daughters.

Betty Ruth, second daughter of Elmer Taulbee, married Harold Layskisy and also lives in Michigan. She has one son, Carl Elmer.

Ruby Lou, youngest daughter of Elmer Taulbee, married Marvin Brewer, who owns and operates a garage at Campton, Kentucky on Highway 15.

Cynthia Swango, daughter of John and Sarah Lewis Swango, was born June 17, 1866 and married James Whisman, a farmer at Campton, Kentucky. She had thirteen children as follows:

Mary Ann, first daughter of James and Cynthia Swango,

was born June 27, 1886. She married Clifford Trent, a farmer at Beatyville, Kentucky, January 15, 1910. She had one daughter, Artie Irene.

Sarah Caroline, second daughter of James and Cynthia Whisman, born May 8, 1888, married William Rose and had thirteen children: six boys and seven girls.

John S., son of James and Cynthia Whisman, born March 11, 1890, married Maud Rose. She had three children. She died in 1918. John then married Golda Cable and she had seven children. They live at Franklin, Ohio.

Jessie L., son of James and Cynthia Whisman, born August 9, 1893, married Estel Cable. They had twelve children. His oldest daughter Cora and three of her children were burned to death in a fire that destroyed their home in Detroit, Michigan in 1949. He lives at Campton, Kentucky.

Samuel H., third son of James and Cynthia Whisman, born September 24, 1895, married Maranda Branson. They had five sons and two daughters. They live in Ohio.

George W., fourth son of James and Cynthia Whisman, born June 1, 1898, married Mary Jane Gentry. They had five children. Now divorced. He then married Mildred Housman in Florida. She had two children, Gayle and Allen. He lives in Florida.

William E., fifth son of James and Cynthia Whisman, born May 28, 1900. Married Ida Drake. They have five girls and live at Middletown, Ohio.

Lucinda A., daughter of James and Cynthia Whisman, born November 1, 1902. She never married and stayed with her parents until their death and now makes her home with her sister, Mary Ann Trent.

Martha M., daughter of James and Cynthia Whisman, born July 9, 1905, married May 5, 1924 at Beatyville, Kentucky, to Ned Morris, who was born February 21, 1903, a farmer. They had five children: four boys and one girl.

Finley Gordon, son of Martha and Ned Morris born March 18, 1926, at Fincastle, Kentucky. He married Bessie Davis March 29, 1948 and they have three sons: Finley Gordon Jr., born November 10, 1948; Michael Eugene, born January 29,

1950, and Roger Dale, born March 24, 1953.

Fred Eugene, second son of Martha and Ned Morris, born September 6, 1928 at Fincastle, Kentucky, married Jean Bustle March 8, 1953. She was born October 5, 1932. He entered the Army November 21, 1949 and was discharged November 20, 1951. He served eleven months in Germany with the Armored Division. He has one son: Fred Allen, born July 14, 1954.

Gerald Edward, third son of Martha and Ned Morris, born December 1, 1932, married ————Tipton, September 2, 1951 and was divorced in November, 1952. He then married Zella Mae Thomas August 29, 1953. She was born December 7, 1932; a nurse at Cincinnati Hospital. He served three years with the National Guards and was discharged on May 29, 1953. Has one son, Robert Gerald, born July 24, 1953.

Annette Louise, daughter of Martha and Ned Morris, born December 31, 1938. Engaged to Jerry Lee Lewis in 1955, born October 10, 1935, serving with the U. S. Air Force in 1954.

Gerry Lee, youngest son of Martha and Ned Morris, born April 3, 1950, at Middletown, Ohio, Hospital. Lives at home.

Emma Myrtle, daughter of James and Cynthia Whisman, born October 29, 1907, married James Henry. They have three sons and five girls. They live on a farm near Ezell, Morgan County, Kentucky.

Avylee, daughter of James and Cynthia Whisman, born May 16, 1909, married Farley Morris and they have two sons and one daughter. They bought the old homestead where they now reside.

Benjamin Franklin and Freddie Clifford, twin sons of James and Cynthia Whisman, born November 12, 1912. Benjamin F. Whisman married Ollie Moore and they have two children: one girl and one boy. Freddie C. married ————and they have two children. Both of the twin boys are carpenters and building contractors in business together in Middletown, Ohio at this time, 1955.

Lucinda, daughter of John and Sarah Swango, was born October 14, 1870. She married James Hobbs in 1886. She had six children, four girls and two boys, as follows:

Callie, daughter of Lucinda and James Hobbs, 36, born

1888, married Taulbee Bowen and had four boys and two girls. Taulbee II, eldest son, married Jackie Frymyer and had four boys: Taulbee III, Jackie, Virginia, Dannie and Scott.

Bill, second son of Callie and Taulbee Bowen, married Olga Sparker and had one girl, Marie, and four boys: Billie, Joe, Harry and Steve. Marie married Samuel Neal and had two girls: Brenda Lou and Caroline Sue. John Daniel married Fay Farmer and has three boys: Darrell, Jimmie and Brendie. Lou married Ray Crout and has no children. James is not married.

Ova Hobbs, born 1890, son of Lou and James Hobbs, married Lizzie Leg and had four girls.

Tempa, the oldest girl, born 1892, married Malden Morgan, and had four girls and two boys.

Frank, the second son of Lou and James Hobbs, was born in 1895 and married Oma Little and had four girls and one boy.

Jane, daughter of James and Lucinda Hobbs, was born in 1897 and married Russell Bowen and had six boys and four girls.

G. W. Swango, born July 19, 1872, oldest son of John and Sarah Swango of Still Water, Kentucky. Taught school, studied medicine at Louisville, Kentucky and practiced in Wolfe, Powell and Meniffee Counties until his death in 1937. He was married to George Ann Buchanan on Christmas Day, 1893, and to this union the following children were born:

Luther, who died with whooping cough at the age of three months. *Martha*, who died with spinal meningitis in infancy.



The third child born was *Jefferson Davis Swango*.

Born April 4, 1898, he graduated from Frenchburg, Kentucky high school, 1918: college at Berea, Berea, Kentucky., 1922, and medical school at Hahnemann in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania in 1927. He interned at Pittsburg, Pennsylvania and Council Bluffs, Iowa. On April 2, 1926 he married the former Ruth Blythe of Toronto, Canada, a graduate of Royal Hospital School of Nursing in Glasgow, Scotland, who had served with the Canadian Forces during World War I. For a time he was Surgeon for the Armco Steel Co., in Ashland, Kentucky. In September 1930, along with his wife and daughter Ruby, he moved to Waterloo, Ohio, Lawerance Co., to begin his long and strenuous career in that community.

In the summer of 1942 at the early part of World War II, he volunteered his services to his country. He was accepted and received the commission of Captain in the U. S. Medical Corps. He served sixteen months in the Pacific Theater of action. On his return he again opened his office in Waterloo and resided there until he suffered a fatal heart attack November 14, 1957. He was a tireless and faithful public servant, a prominent figure in both community and county affairs. He was president of the Lawerance Co. Health board, and just ten days before his death was elected a member of the

Symmest Valley Local School District Board of Education.

Rising from a humble beginning and pursuing his goal with courage and hard work he achieved his purposes in life which were the care of his family and of service to his fellow man. He worked long and uninterrupted hours, without due regard to his own personal health, which I am sure he well knew of the ultimate end. His death was a distinct loss to his people and to his profession. The wife Ruth still maintains the family home at Waterloo, Ohio.

To Jefferson D. Swango, was born one daughter, *Ruby Crawford Swango*, on May 21, 1927. She graduated from Waterloo, Ohio, High School in 1946. In that year on August 11, she married Richard L. Spurlock of Prestonburg, Kentucky. He graduated from Prestonburg High School and attended Marshall College in Huntington, West Virginia. He served three years in the U. S. Navy, saw service in both the Atlantic and Pacific Theatres. They have three children, Nancy Marie, age 8, Richard Swango, age 6, and Robert Bryan, age 1 year. They now live in Warsaw, Ohio, her husband engaged in business as a drilling contractor.

Ima Boon Swango, son of G. W. and George Ann Swango, was born Nov. 28, 1900 and killed by a train in Cincinnati, Ohio on March 30, 1937. He followed construction work for many years, but was never married.

Johnnie, son of G. W. and George Ann Swango, the fifth child, died with whooping cough at the age of six months.

Emma, daughter of G. W. and George Ann Swango, the sixth child, was born December 30, 1904. She attended school at Frenchburg, Kentucky, and in the summer of 1924, married Kelley Clair. To this union were born six children.

Ann Elizabeth, was born June 15, 1925. She graduated from High School at Stanton, Kentucky., college at Berea, Kentucky, and Nurses training at John's Hopkins University Hospital at Baltimore, Maryland. She worked in hospitals for some time. In 1952 she married William Junkin of New York, an engineer who graduated from Purdue University. They have two children: Clair Louise, about two years of age, and David, only a few months of age. They live in Baltimore, Maryland.

Kelley E. Clair Jr., born April 30, 1927, attended school in Middletown, Ohio. Served two years in the U. S. Army.

Virginia, the third child of Emma Clair, born February 10, 1929, married to Don Stover, Middletown, Ohio. They have three children, two boys and a girl.

Harold Clay Clair, the fourth child, was born on June 26, 1931. He has been in the U. S. Army for several years, having fought in Korea. He is now stationed in Japan and I am told he is married to a Japanese girl.

Ismael Clair, the fifth child of Emma Clair, was born on April 13, 1935. He attended school at Middletown, Ohio and is now serving with the U. S. Army in Germany.

Emma died August 4, 1939, when Jefferson Davis Clair was born. He has been with Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Swango since birth. He is now an adopted son of the Dr. at Waterloo, Ohio, with the name of Jefferson Davis Swango, the 2nd. He is now in his senior year at Waterloo High School, Waterloo, Ohio.

Ishmael Jackson Swango, son of G. W. and George Ann Swango, the seventh child, was born in Montgomery County, Kentucky, July 6, 1907. He attended High School and for several years was employed by Armco in Ashland, Kentucky. At present time he lives in Cincinnati, Ohio. He married Eula McClure of Ashland, Kentucky, in 1929. They have four children.

Lois, born June 11, 1932 at Ashland, Kentucky. She graduated from high school at Bidwell, Ohio. Later she married Keith Hamilton and now lives in Cincinnati, Ohio where she is employed in one of the large banks.

Janette, second child, born September 9, 1938 at Ashland, Kentucky. She attended high school at Bidwell, Ohio, and is now employed by a jewelry firm in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Jack, born April 30, 1942.

Frank, born April 25, 1944.

Jack and Frank are in school in Cincinnati. At present time Ishmeal is a Radio and Television engineer.

Sarah Lou Swango, daughter of G. W. and George Ann Swango, the eighth child, was born in Menifee County, Kentucky, September 17, 1909. She attended High school at French-

burg, Kentucky. In 1924 she married Butler Jewell at Tabor, Kentucky. For several years they lived in Middleton, Ohio.

On September 9, 1925, *Nellie Ann*, daughter of Lou and Ben Jewell, was born. She graduated from high school at Middletown, Ohio, later doing clerical work in Cincinnati. She married Kenneth McBeth, a mechanical engineer of Cincinnati. They have two children, Scotty, born September 3, 1950. Kathy, born January 4, 1953. At present time they live at Amelia, Ohio.

George Jefferson, Lou's third child, was born September 10, 1930. From the age of three years he made his home with Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Swango at Waterloo, Ohio. He attended Waterloo High school and Rio Grande College. He has served nine years in the U. S. Army, three years in Germany. He saw action in Korea and spent one year on a Special Mission at Bangkok in Thailand. He is now stationed at Fort Knox, Kentucky, as an instructor. On May 11, 1950, he was married to Emma Jean Mitchell, who graduated from Waterloo High school. They have three children: Rena Ruth, born March 17, 1951; George, born July 2, 1954 and Emma Lou, born April 1, 1956. In 1953 he had his and his family's last name changed to Swango.

Lou and Butler were divorced and she married Noah Patton. To them one daughter was born. Maxine was born on October 10, 1933. She is married to John Quinn and they have one son, Tony, about 8 months of age in 1956.

After death of Patton, Lou married David Sherrits of Canada, and to them one son David was born, on April 7, 1941. He is now attending high school at Cincinnati, Ohio in 1956.

Lou and Sherrits were divorced and she is now married to William Brown of Tennessee. They have no children. They live in Cincinnati.

Courtney Swango, son of G. W. and George Ann Swango, the ninth child, was born June, 1911. He never was married and has traded and farmed all his life. At present he lives with his mother at Bidwell, Ohio.

Wayland Swango, daughter of G. W. and George Ann Swango, the tenth and last child, was born in June, 1913. She attended school at Waterloo and Frenchburg. Later she married Clay Proffitt in 1936 and they have the following children:

Ruth Ann, born April 12, 1937; graduated from Bidwell-Porter High school in 1955. She lived with her grandmother Swango until she graduated. She now lives in Cincinnati with her parents where she holds a responsible position with the Union Central Life Insurance Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Courtney William, the second child, was born August 4, 1938. He attended school at Bidwell and Cincinnati. Now is serving with the U. S. Army in Germany.

Claude Jennings, the youngest, was born February 22, 1941. He is still at home and is attending high school in Cincinnati, Ohio.



B. F. Swango; daughter, America Appenheimer; granddaughter, Dorothy Schmidt, and great grandson, Ronald Schmidt

Benjamin Franklin Swango, son of John and Sarah Swango, born June 12, 1874, at Campton, Kentucky. Married to Deborah Taulbee May 6, 1896. To them were born two children:

America, born April 5, 1897.

Alfred Jennings, born June 24, 1900.

Benjamin moved to Indian Territory in 1897. Operated a cotton gin until the fall of 1899 when he returned to Kentucky and bought a farm near Jeffersonville, Kentucky.

Deborah died October 7, 1902, and was buried in Burton Cemetery, Wolfe County, Kentucky.

B. F. (Dock) Swango, was married to Sarah Ann Powers on March 7, 1907 at Frenchburg, Kentucky. They had six children. They lived in Montgomery Co., Kentucky, until 1911 when they moved to Indianapolis, Indiana, and he worked in the car shops until March, 1914, when he moved to Toulon, Illinois. He worked at the carpenter's trade until he retired in 1953. He bought five acres of land near Toulon and built a new house where he now resides (1956).

America Swango, daughter of Benjamin and Deborah Taulbee Swango, was born April 5, 1897, at Campton, Kentucky. She was married to Alpheus Ray Appenheimer, who was born January 3, 1891, at Leoti, Kansas. Enlisted in Marine Corps July 6, 1917; engaged with enemy in the Chauteau Thierry sector, took part in the attack on Thian court, Kamines and Jaulnay; in open warfare with the enemy in Champagne sector, taking part

in the capture of Blanc Mont and St. Etienne. Cited in G. O. No. 40, Headquarters 2nd division for gallantry in action at Blanc Mount on October 30, 1918, and 2nd to 11th of June at Chauteau Thierry. Discharged June 19, 1919. They had seven children. America died July 22, 1957.

Dorothy Louise Appenheimer, daughter of Alpheus and America Appenheimer, was born June 5, 1920, at Toulon, Illinois. Married June 28, 1939, to Roy Ralph Schmidt. Roy joined the Marines March 13, 1945; discharged March 16, 1946. They have three children, two boys and one girl:

Ronald Roy Schmidt, was born August 11, 1940, in Chicago, Illinois.

Donald Dean Schmidt, was born December 21, 1942, at Highland, Illinois.

Alexis Joy Schmidt, daughter, was born July 22, 1946, at Toulon, Illinois.

Betty Marie Appenheimer, daughter of Alpheus and America Appenheimer, was born October 25, 1921 at Toulon, Illinois. Married January 31, 1942, to Lawrence Edward McDonald who was born January 29, 1922. Left for foreign service August 20, 1944, with the 44th Division of the Seventh Army. Returned to states July, 1945; discharged October 26, 1946, with the rating of Sergeant. They have three children, two girls and one boy:

Judy Ann, born October 15, 1944 at Peoria Hospital.

Thomas Mitchel, born October 15, 1946.

Laurie Jean, born October 28, 1950.

Juanita Ara Appenheimer, daughter of Alpheus and America Appenheimer, was born March 23, 1924 at Toulon, Illinois. Married Haydn Herbert Murray December 16, 1944 at Toulon Baptist Church. Haydn born August 31, 1924, entered the army May 16, 1943, taking his boot training at Camp Wheeler, Georgia. Officers training at Fort Belvoir, Virginia. Left for foreign service February 1, 1945. Served with Co. C 856th engineer aviation battalions, Illinois, 8th army. Returned to states August 3, 1946. Discharged September 27, 1946, rating as first lieutenant. Then attended University of Illinois six years; received PhD in Geology June, 1951 and went to teach at the

University of Indiana. They have three children, a boy and two girls.

Steven Mark, born April 5, 1948.

Marilyn Marie, born February 4, 1951.

Lisa Michele, born December 3, 1958.

Kathryn Pearl Appenheimer, daughter of Alpheus and America Appenheimer, was born June 25, 1925, at Toulon, Illinois. Married Cecil Dean Young, July 31, 1944 at the White Temple Methodist church in Miami, Florida. Cecil Dean Young was born July 3, 1925, at Wyoming, Illinois. Entered Navy service November 19, 1943, taking boot training at Great Lakes Naval Station. Was discharged January 16, 1946, with rating of Petty Officer 3rd class. They had two children, a girl and a boy:

Mitchell Blair Young, was born February 14, 1946 at Kewanee Public Hospital.

Suzanne Young, was born June 6, 1950 at Urbana, Illinois.

Alpheus Clay Appenheimer, son of Al and America Appenheimer, was born February 15, 1927. Graduated from Toulon High school. Married Rosemary Dolk in October, 1950, at Galva, Illinois. They had three children: Sara Rose, born October 21, 1951; Alpheus Timothy, born December 19, 1953; Thomas Brett, born August 17, 1955. He died February 12, 1956. Clay farmed for a few years. He lost a leg in a corn picker and a finger in a tractor fly wheel. He quit farming in 1955, and now sells insurance at PawPaw, Illinois.

Glenna May Appenheimer, was born July 6, 1928, at Toulon, Illinois. Married Phil Omanson, a farmer. They have two children, both boys:

Bradley James, born March 13, 1950.

Richard Clay, born July 26, 1952.

Vonnie Jane, daughter of Alpheus and America Appenheimer, was born May 28, 1931, at Kewanee, Illinois. Married Roland H. Pugh. They have one daughter:

Candice Lee, born May 20, 1951, at Peoria Hospital.

Alfred Jennings Swango, son of B. F. and Deborah Swango, born June 24, 1900. Worked his way through college. Graduated from Northland College, Ashland, Wisconsin, in 1928.

Married Kathrine Leonard October 24, 1928. They had two children, a boy and a girl;

Buddy, born Sept. 8, 1930.

Kathryn, born July 16, 1939.

Alfred and Kae are both school teachers and reside in Calxico, California.

Ernest Butler Swango, son of B. F. and Sarah Swango. Born May 22, 1908, at Frenchburg, Kentucky. Drafted in the U. S. Army in 1942. Served overseas with Armored Division. Discharged November 1945. Was guard at Joliet Prison for two years. Is now employed at the Caterpillar Tractor Co., of Peoria, Illinois, 1956.

Cynthia Mae Swango, daughter of B. F. and Sara Swango, was born June 2, 1910, at Frenchburg, Kentucky. Graduated from Toulon High school. Married Frank Bradford July 21, 1927. Adopted daughter, born March 10, 1942, Margaret Louise. Her husband is an insurance inspector. They live at Westmont, Illinois.

Eulah Clae Swango, daughter of B. F. and Sarah Swango, born July 24, 1912 in Indianapolis, Indiana. Graduated from Toulon High school. Graduated from Nurses training 1933. Married Robert Draudt April 23, 1944. One child, Diane Lynette, born June 17, 1945. Divorced in 1953. Now works in the Methodist Hospital in Peoria, Illinois.

Gordon Benjamin Swango, son of B. F. and Sarah Swango, born August 26, 1915 at Toulon, Illinois. Graduated from Toulon High school. Enlisted in the United States Marine Corps on November 26, 1935. Married Mrs. Virgie Dodd at Fredericksburg, Virginia. They have one daughter, Gloria, born January 2, 1942. He is making the Marine Corps his career. Was a Captain as of 1952. Retired from Marine Corps, August 1, 1958.

Edna Ethel Swango, daughter of B. F. and Sarah Swango, was born January 28, 1920 at Toulon, Illinois. Graduated from Toulon High school in 1938, typist and bookkeeper. Married on February 16, 1957 to William M. Bersbach. He was born February 20, 1918, Chicago, Illinois and served as pilot in Army Air Force during World War II, flying 55 missions. They have a daughter, Karen, born March 19, 1958.

Robert Dean Swango, son of B. F. and Sarah Swango, was born April 4, 1924 at Toulon, Illinois. Graduated from Toulon High school. Joined the Marine Corps in March, 1942. Discharged in 1946. Married Betty Jane Powell August 18, 1945. Enlisted in the Air Force September 1947. Discharged December 1948. There are four children:

Elizabeth Dea, born July 12, 1946.

Robyn Kae, born March 26, 1948.

Robert Dean, born May 18, 1949.

Mark Royal, born March 25, 1955.

Robert and Betty were divorced. He then married Janyce Maria Seeton. She was born July 31, 1937 at Earlville, Illinois. They have one son, Michael R. Swango, who was born June 5, 1957 and one daughter Tonia D. Swango, born January 1, 1959 at Alturas, California. Robert is wire Chief for Citizens Utilities Company of California at the present time. They reside at Alturas, California.

John Floyd Swango, son of John and Sarah Swango, born December 8, 1876. Married Letha Brashears (born July 29, 1883) January 1, 1906. They settled on a farm near Jeffersonville, Montgomery County, Kentucky. Had one child, Letcher. Mother and child died September 6, 1919. Floyd then married a widow Mandy Chambers February 20, 1924. They had one child, a son Isaac Drexel, born November 30, 1924. Drexel married Miss Frances Bebles on July 23, 1944. She was born March 13, 1929. They have three children:

Joycett, born March 28, 1945.

Isaac Drexel, Jr., born March 29, 1949.

Deborah Sue, born January 7, 1954.

Drexel is working in the office of a steel company at Newport, Kentucky. They reside in Crittendon, Kentucky.

Floyd and Mandy Chambers were divorced in 1928 he then married Miss Mabel Christman March 5, 1934. Miss Christman was born March 5, 1903. They live on their farm near Campton, Kentucky, and have no children. John Floyd died March 4, 1958. Mabel Christman Swango died July 24, 1958.

Josie, daughter of John and Sarah Swango, was born May 25, 1878. She married Jeff Chambers in 1897 and they went to Indian Territory where he was in business, and lived there until his death on November 17, 1899. Josie then married Badway George on November 7, 1900, a farmer near Mount Sterling, Kentucky. They have one daughter, Elsie Mae George, born at Jeffersonville, Kentucky, October 8, 1902. She is a school teacher and has taught in Montgomery County, Kentucky, thirty-one consecutive years, since she was seventeen. Josie died October 8, 1958.

James S. Swango, son of John Swango and Sarah Lewis Swango, was born in Wolfe County, Kentucky, August 4, 1882. He was married December 24, 1902, to Nora Felts at Indianapolis, Indiana. She was born near Nashville, Tennessee, on October 26, 1893. They had two sons and two daughters:

Art Swango, born in 1909, died in 1910.

Louise Yvonne Swango, born February 10, 1911, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

James Raymond Swango, born June 16, 1913, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Helen Mae Swango, born January 30, 1915, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

They reside at Frankfort, Indiana, where he has been employed by the Nickle Plate Railroad as a carman. At present he is foreman of the caboose shop and with his thirty years service at Frankfort has a total of fifty-five years railroad service.

Louise Yvonne Swango, daughter of James S. Swango and Nora Felt Swango, was born February 10, 1911, in Indianapolis, Indiana. She was graduated from Frankfort High school in 1929. She was married May 27, 1933 to Oliver Keith Stroup, son of Mary S. Stroup and Oliver M. Stroup. He was born January 27, 1905 in Scircleville, Indiana. He received his B. S. degree in education in 1928. He is a teacher at Marion High school. They reside at Marion, Indiana. They have two sons:

Oliver Keith Stroup Jr., born in Frankfort, Indiana, April 13, 1934. He received his education in electrical engineering at Purdue University.

James Lewis Stroup, born in Connersville, Indiana, June 3, 1939. He is a student at Marion High school.

James Raymond Swango, son of James S. Swango and Nora Felt Swango, born June 16, 1913, in Indianapolis, Indiana. He was graduated from Frankfort, Indiana, High school in 1931. He was married August 21, 1938 to Ann E. Schenck, daughter of Roy and Clara Schenck. She was born April 6, 1918 in Colfax, Indiana. He entered the Navy on April 17, 1945, and was discharged on February 26, 1946. They had two sons and two daughters:

James Scott Swango, born in Frankfort, Indiana, September 27, 1941. He is a student in Frankfort High school.

Jill Ann Swango, born in Frankfort, Indiana, February 13, 1943. She is a student in Frankfort schools.

Julie Gay Swango, born in Frankfort, Indiana, May 1, 1947.

John Eric Swango, born in Frankfort, Indiana, December 21, 1951.

Helen Mae Swango, daughter of James S. Swango and Nora Felt Swango, born January 30, 1915, in Indianapolis, Indiana. She was graduated from Frankfort High school on September 2, 1933. She married John Wesley Nance, son of Elizabeth Smith Nance and James Nance. He was born June 19, 1912, in Knoxville, Tennessee. He is an engineer on the Nickle Plate Railroad. They reside at Frankfort, Indiana. They have two daughters:

Helen Louise Nance, born March 22, 1934, in Frankfort, Indiana. She is a clerk-typist at the Peoples Life Insurance Company.

Josephine Swango Nance, born January 9, 1938, at Frankfort, Indiana. She is a student at Frankfort High school.

Harrison C. Swango, son of John and Sarah Swango, was born July 19, 1885, on Still Water, near Campton, Kentucky. He was a carpenter and building contractor. At the age of thirty-five years he took up railroading and was killed by a train on April 4, 1924, while so employed. On September 4, 1906, he married Lillie Mae Wills at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky. To them were born two girls:

Ethel Swango, daughter of Harrison and Lillie Swango, born January 19, 1908, at Jeffersonville, Kentucky. Married Roy Abner November 24, 1926; he was born January 23, 1904. He is a railroad electrician; worked for same company for 32 years. To them were born two girls Lola Maxine Abner first daughter of Ethel and Ray Abner, born November 2, 1927; married Robert Cooper April 10, 1948. He is an inspector at General Electric. He served in World War II. They have one girl, Nancy Lee.

Janet Faye, second daughter of Ethel and Ray Abner, born October 10, 1929, married Richard Hassler August, 1951. He is District Manager of Auto Association at Lexington, Kentucky. He served in World War II. They have two children:

Cherlyn Lynn, born June 3, 1954.

Robert William, born December 22, 1955.

Hazel, second daughter of Harrison and Lillie Swango, born June 16, 1909, married Carl Hensley July 2, 1926. To them were born two boys:

Robert Harry Hensley, born April 5, 1927; he married Lois Wills August 3, 1948. They have two children:

Linda Marie Hensley, born July 6, 1949.

Timothy Hensley, born February 3, 1951.

Robert Hensley served 17 months in U. S. Navy in World War II, also served in U. S. Army in Korea.

Donald Hensley, second son of Hazel and Carl Hensley, born June 5, 1934. To them was born one boy, Jerry Wayne Hensley, born July 10, 1950. Hensley served five years in U. S. Air Force. Of this time he spent two years in England.

Hazel was divorced in 1939. She then married H. Centor October 17, 1939. He was born October 4, 1909. He is a construction worker, carpenter and cement finisher.

William, son of George Washington Swango, was born July 19, 1843, the sixth son. Married Polly Smith. Settled on Blackwater Creek near Maytown in Wolfe County, Kentucky. He became one of the leading doctors of his time. He never attended a medical college, but learned it at home. Medicine was second nature with him. The college graduates often called on him for assistance and consultation. They sought his advice and said he knew things that was not found in books. Until his health failed him, he enjoyed and held a large practice, often saying he had more practice than he could do justice to. He never had any boys but raised five girls:

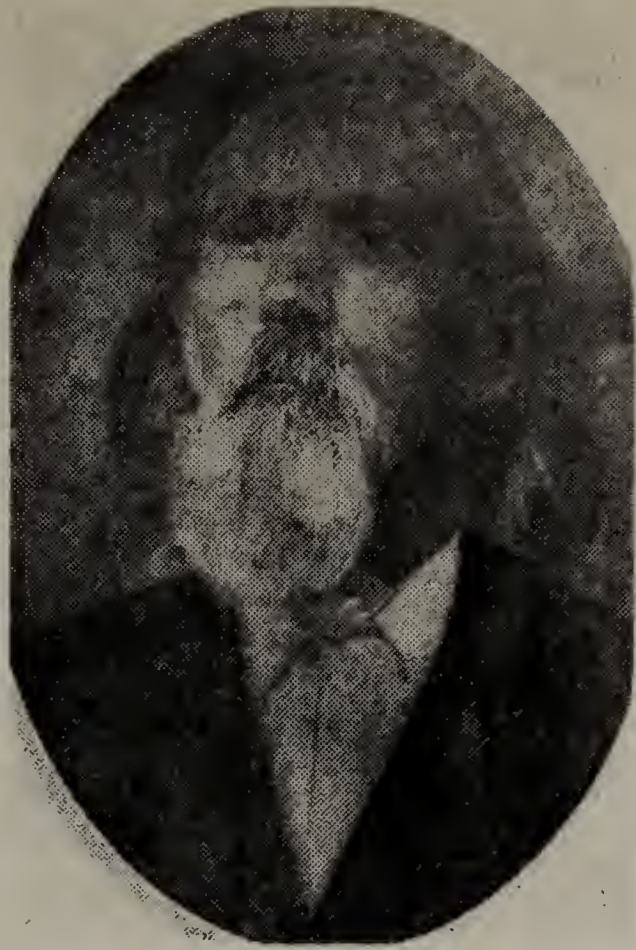
Eletha, married William J. Dennis and had three sons and two daughters (Emma, Lillie, Porter, Luther and Leonard).

Caroline, married James Wilson and has seven or eight children. Two little girls were killed by the same bolt of lightning and the third girl was near death for some time from the same bolt which also killed their pet cat.

Emma J., married Burns Kash and raised two girls and two boys (Eliza, Grace, Percy and Roy).

Lou E., married William Wilson (brother to James) and had one boy Troy) and one girl (Leona).

Mary B., married Camel Dennis (brother of William J.) and had one girl (Ora) who married Clifford Bryant and one son (Courtney) who was shot and killed on the road in the night by Reece Bryant. No one every knew why. Bryant served a term in the pen for the crime, but was pardoned by the Governor of Kentucky.



Ambrose Swango, son of George Washington and Lucinda Swango, was born in Wolfe County, Kentucky, on December 10, 1845. He married Nancy Gibbs in 1865, who was born in Kentucky on September 2, 1844. They lived on Buck Creek for a time and on Stillwater. In 1891 they moved to Hazel Green for the winter, then to Montgomery County for the summer. He then bought a large farm in Powell County, where he moved in 1892 and lived until his death, May 26, 1909. He took up the practice of medicine about the year 1868 and had a very good and successful one. He was a minister of the old Baptist Church for over 40 years and always practiced what he preached. He doctored for miles around his home, both rich and poor. Whether they could pay or not, it made no difference to him. Ambrose and Nancy had nine children:

Southey Ellen, the first child of Ambrose and Nancy Swango, was born November 28, 1866. She married James Lacy, who was born March 7, 1826. They had no children. He died about 1916 and she then married Drostus Saunders of Ohio and moved to Florida about 1929. He died about 1934. She married again to a Mr. Wilcox from New York, who died about 1946. Southey spent her remaining days with her youngest brother, Harlan, at Ocla, Florida. She died March 6, 1950.

Zuelema Belle, the second child of Ambrose and Nancy

Swango, was born March 10, 1869. She married Robert L. Brewer and they had four children. Zeulema Belle died on January 8, 1897.

Southey Ellen, daughter of Zuelma Swango, was born February 8, 1890. She married Fletcher Lawson, and had eight children, six girls and two boys. One son, Fletcher Jr., and his father disappeared between 1925 and 1930. It was supposed they drowned in the Ohio River when their rowboat overturned.

Ambrose, the second child, was married twice and had no children.

Earl, the third child, died as a small boy.

William Jesse, the fourth child, married Ora Denis and they had four boys and two girls: May, Mable, Bill Jr., Ruth, Jean and Raymond.

Alice Lucinda, the third child of Ambrose and Nancy Swango, was born July 29, 1871. She married C. C. Rose and they had four children:

Wayland, the first child, was born September 9, 1890. She married Troy Wilson and they had three children.

Ruby Jesse, the first child of Troy Wilson, was born July 7, 1911. She was married twice.

Woodrow, the second child of Troy Wilson, was born in March of 1913. He married Lucille Spencer and they had three children, one boy and two girls.

Earl, the third child of Troy Wilson, was born in 1915. He married and had one child.

Bessie, the second child of C. C. Rose, was born in January of 1892. She married Ballard Taylor and they had seven girls and one boy.

Evelee, the third child of C. C. Rose, was born in 1893. She married Bill Center and they had six children, one of whom died in infancy.

Willard, the first child, married Genoa Fryer and they had four children:

Willard Gene, born October 23, 1941.

Gloria Sue, born October 5, 1943.

Jack, born June 14, 1947.

Linda Evelee, born in 1949.

Mable, the second child, was born in 1917. She married Stanley Tackett, and they had three girls:

Mary Alice, born in 1938.

Rose Marie, born in 1945.

Daughter born in 1950.

Maureen, the third child, was born in 1919. She married Bud Burton and they had a son and a daughter.

Bill Jr., the fourth child, was born in 1921. He married, but has no children.

Wanda, the fifth child, was born in 1923. She married Jimmy Burton and they had two girls and one boy.

Lydia Delores, the fourth child of Ambrose and Nancy Swango, was born July 5, 1873 and died in infancy.

Elizabeth C. Swango, the fifth child of Ambrose and Nancy Swango, was born June 12, 1875 at Campton, Kentucky. She married Henry Stephens, a farmer and saw mill operator at Stanton, Kentucky. They had ten children:

Helen Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born December 17, 1894. She married Tom Conley of Rosalyn, Kentucky, on May 9, 1914. He is now deceased. They had two boys, William Henry and Narvel Lee Conley.

Rosalie Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born February 20, 1897. She married Cort Willoughby at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, who is now deceased. They had five children: Herbert, Elsie, Elbert, Beatrice and Malcom.

Marion Stephens, son of Lizzie Stephens, was born June 29, 1899. They had two sons, Clinton and Elmer. Elmer died in 1948.

Stella Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born October 20, 1901 and married Everette Willoughby on June 12, 1919. To this union 10 children were born: Earl, Edith, Anna,

Henry, who is now deceased, June, Carl, Ray, who is now deceased, Florence, Everette Jr., Greta and Jane.

Henry Stephens Jr., son of Lizzie Stephens, was born July 14, 1904, and died September 21, 1905.

Clemmie Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born June 30, 1906 and married Frank J. Elliott of Packersburg, West Virginia on March 5. To this union four children were born: George Henry, Tillie Elizabeth, Carleen and Richard.

Fannie Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born on December 15, 1908 and married William Derickson on June 2, 1924, who was killed in an auto accident in 1938. To this union the following children were born: Opal, William Jr., Hazel Jean, Glenn, Nina Jane, Bobby and Thomas.

Fannie Stephens Derickson, married Henry McIntosh of Stanton, Kentucky, in 1954. She is now Circuit Court Clerk of Powell County in 1955.

Nancy Jane Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born on May 4, 1911 and married Robert J. Wallace of Prestonburg, Kentucky. To this union two children were born:

Garbiel R., who is now a Junior in Electric Engineering at V. K. Lexington, Kentucky.

Zella Faye.

Jane Stephens, is a graduate of Berea College, School of Nursing, and is now employed at Prestonburg ASUS Public Health Nurse for the Cumberland Field Station. Her husband, Robert, is a graduate from Berea College and doing outstanding work as librarian for the Bookmobile in Floyd County, Kentucky, in 1955.

Nellie Jessie Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born July 19, 1913 and died on October 9, 1926.

Callie Elizabeth Stephens, daughter of Lizzie Stephens, was born on September 29, 1915 and married Paul Gambell, of Blaine, Kentucky, on October 9, 1937. Paul is now principal of Blaine High School as of 1955. To this union two children were born:

Roger, a freshman in college.

Sarah Elizabeth.

Callie teaches in the consolidated schools.

Mary Jane, the sixth child of Ambrose and Nancy Swango, was born February 12, 1878. She married James Martin and they had eight children:

Nina, born August 15, 1896.

Alice, born May 4, 1900.

Archie, born August 30, 1902.

Mina, born June 3, 1905.

Ambrose, born October 26, 1907.

Southey, born March 15, 1910.

Chalma, born June 18, 1912.

William Jesse, born May 25, 1914.

Ambrose Luke, the seventh child of Ambrose and Nancy Swango, was born June 12, 1880 and died as a young child.

Jesse Green, second son of Ambrose and Nancy Gibbs Swango, was born May 30, 1882 at Stillwater, Kentucky. Married Mollie E. McIntosh, March 8, 1904 at Stanton, Kentucky. She was born December 25, 1886 at Stanton, Kentucky. Jesse owned and operated a farm in Powell Co., Kentucky, for 16 years. In 1921 he sold his farm and moved to Stanton, Kentucky, where he was elected to the office of constable and he served approximately two years as Deputy Sheriff of Powell Co., Kentucky. He then took some training in land surveying. Later he started into the carpenter and contracting business. He was a well known carpenter and contractor for the rest of his life. He retired at the age of 60 due to a heart condition. On August 4, 1952 he died of a heart attack (coronary thrombosis) at his home in Somerset, Ohio. To Jesse and Mollie were born two sons and seven daughters: Daisy Jewell, Nellie Golden, Sylvia Ordell, Iola Sybil, Ruby Wayland, Paul Edward, Silas Stephen, Wanna Hagar, Wanona Lavon.

Daisy Jewell, first daughter of Jessie and Mollie Swango, was born December 17, 1904, at Stanton, Kentucky. Married William Leonard Fryer, December 25, 1922. He was born December 20, 1900. He is a construction engineer. To this union were born five sons and three daughters: Mildred Marie, Genoa Fern, Robert Ellwood, William Leonard Jr., Lester Steve, Velva

Fawn, Malcolm Loye, Dale Eugene.

Mildred Marie, first daughter of Leonard and Jewell Fryer, was born Jan. 6, 1923 at Morris Creek, Kentucky. Married Clarence Boley April 18, 1944 at Parkersburg, West Virginia. To this union were born one son and one daughter.

- *Herwanah Cara*, first daughter of Clarence and Mildred Boley, was born January 13, 1945. Died March 31, 1947. Cause of death: Clothes caught fire and burned up.

Gary Leonard, first son of Clarence and Mildred Boley, was born August 23, 1946.

Clarence and Mildred were divorced on September 10, 1947. Mildred then married Jack Enberg May 20, 1949 at New Cumberland, West Virginia. Gary Leonard Boley was legally adopted as Gary Leonard Enberg, October 10, 1952, at the age of six years. There were no children born to Jack and Mildred. Jack was born June 26, 1923 at Scottsdale, Pennsylvania. He enlisted in the U. S. Army, September 12, 1942, and he participated in the Campaign of Germany, Northern France and Normandy. He received the Theatre Ribbon with three Bronze Stars, American Theatre Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal and the Purple Heart. He was wounded in action February 28, 1945 in Germany. He received an Honorable Medical Discharge January 31, 1946 as a Sgt. from the McGuire General Hospital in Richmond, Virginia.

Nellie Golden, second daughter of Jesse and Mollie Swango, was born September 9, 1906 at Stanton, Kentucky. Married James William Mulberry January 14, 1925. He was born May 3, 1905. He was a steel mill worker for years. Died of a heart attack (angina pectoris) on September 4, 1954 at his home in Somerset, Ohio. To this union were born five children:

First son, stillborn.

Gloria Gennell, first daughter of James and Golden Mulberry, was born May 24, 1927. Died August 24, 1927, of Spinal-bifida.

Patricia Fawn, second daughter of James and Golden Mulberry, was born September 10, 1928 at Covington, Kentucky. Married Wendell Holbrook, October 23, 1946. He was born October 23, 1922. To them were born two sons and one daughter.

James Wendell, first son of Wendell and Patricia, was born September 27, 1947 at Steubenville, Ohio.

Wayne Wilbur, second son of Wendell and Patricia, was born November 5, 1952, at Steubenville, Ohio.

Christina Lynn, first daughter of Wendell and Patricia, was born Feb. 20, 1954 at Zanesville, Ohio.

Donna Darlene, third daughter of James and Golden Mulberry, was born January 16, 1940 at New Cumberland, West Virginia.

Ruby Wanna, fourth daughter of James and Golden Mulberry, was born December 29, 1941, at Colliers, West Virginia.

Sylvia Ordell, third daughter of Jesse and Mollie Swango, was born September 15, 1908 at Stanton, Kentucky. Died at the age of 11 months from whooping cough and pneumonia, August 30, 1909.

Iola Sybil, fourth daughter of Jesse and Mollie Swango, was born July 16, 1910 at Stanton, Kentucky. Married Stephen Laurence Gorsky (Polish descent) May 16, 1933. He was born September 2, 1907. He is an electrician. To this union were born one daughter and one son: Sandra Sybil, Laurence Paul.

Sondra Sybil, first daughter of Steve and Iola Gorsky, was born May 24, 1935 at Steubenville, Ohio. Married Samuel Earl Rabinoviz (Jewish descent) August 27, 1955. His name was changed from Rabinovitz to Robbins in 1953. He was born December 29, 1927. To them was born one daughter, Lisa Ann, born November 13, 1956, at Weirton, West Virginia.

Laurence Paul, first son of Steve and Iola Gorsky, was born December 18, 1947 at Steubenville, Ohio.

Ruby Wayland, fifth daughter of Jesse and Mollie Swango, was born December 29, 1912 at Stanton, Kentucky. Married Lonnie Bailey April 15, 1929. There were no children to this union. They were divorced in 1936. Ruby then married Wilbur Donald Williamson on January 30, 1939. He was born September 2, 1910 at Ben's Run, West Virginia. His occupation is strip mining. There were no children born to this union.

Paul Edward, first son of Jesse and Mollie Swango was born December 24, 1914 at Stanton, Kentucky. He was drafted into the U. S. Army in 1941. He was then sent to Fort Sill, Okla-

homa, for training. Was given a medical discharge in 1942. Cause: sciatica arthritis. He then signed up for Civil Service and was stationed at Panama City, Florida for approximately one year. Married Area Lucile Payton, of Alabama, December 7, 1943. She was born December 7, 1927. To this union were born one son and one daughter:

Glenda Faye, first daughter of Paul and Area Swango, was born September 5, 1944 at Steubenville, Ohio.

Edward Jesse, first son of Paul and Area Swango, was born February 11, 1948 at Steubenville, Ohio.

Paul and Area were divorced in 1949. Paul then married Joyce Virjean Staley, September 21, 1953. Joyce was a widow with a daughter Kathy Jo, born May 29, 1952 at Zanesville, Ohio. To Paul and Joyce was born one son, Timothy, born August 19, 1954 at Steubenville, Ohio.

Silas Stephen, second son of Jesse and Mollie Swango, was born January 27, 1917 at Stanton, Kentucky. Married Virginia Summers December 25, 1939. She was born February 8, 1920 at Martins Ferry, Ohio. There were no children born to this union. On July 31, 1940 Silas died of a brain tumor at the age of 23.

Wanna Hagar, sixth daughter of Jesse and Mollie Swango, was born March 29, 1919 at Stanton, Kentucky. In 1925 she changed her name to Marie Mildred Swango. Married H. C. Lofland on March 28, 1937. There were no children born to this union. They were divorced in 1948. Marie then married Earl Fodor Jr., June 21, 1949 at New Cumberland, West Virginia. To this union were born one son and two daughters.

Ramdom Earl, first son of Earl and Marie Fodor, was born November 25, 1948, in Steubenville, Ohio.

Victoria Elaine, first daughter of Earl and Marie Fodor, was born August 27, 1950 in Steubenville, Ohio.

Mona Jo, second daughter of Earl and Marie Fodor, was born September 22, 1958 in Weirton, West Virginia.

Wanona Lavon, seventh daughter of Jesse and Mollie Swango, was born July 10, 1929 at Germantown, Ohio. Married Bruce E. West, May 15, 1948 at New Cumberland, West Virginia. He was born August 19, 1923 at Wileyville, West Virginia. His occupation is structural steel worker. To this union were

born three sons.

Warren Rex, first son of Bruce and Wanona West, was born April 8, 1949 at Steubenville, Ohio.

Carl Bruce, second son of Bruce and Wanona West, was born April 16, 1951, at Steubenville, Ohio.

Jesse Colburn, third son of Bruce and Wanona West, was born September 11, 1952 at Steubenville, Ohio. Bruce and Wanona were divorced in March 1956.

At the age of 12, Wanona Swango (now Wanona West) had black measles and they turned malignant. The high fever caused all of her hair to fall out. Very embarrassing, as all her friends nicknamed her "Baldy".

William Harlan, the ninth child of Dr. Ambrose Swango and Nancy Gibbs Swango, was born February 8, 1886. He was married to Narcissus Shear, February 22, 1909 at Stillwater, Kentucky. They had four daughters before her death on December 3, 1917.

Alpha Amy, the first child, was born February 11, 1910. She died on March 30, 1934 in Tucson, Arizona. She married James Lotie Greer and they had three children:

James Robert, the first child, was born June 12, 1927. He married Colleen Moon. They have two sons:

James Robert, Jr., the first child, was born November 7, 1948.

Terry Loti, the second child, was born August 21, 1953.

James Robert Greer then divorced Colleen Moon and married Nona ————. They have one son:

Jeff Anthony, was born March 26, 1955.

Betty Jean, the second child, was born March 1, 1929. She married Tony Stedham. They have no children. She divorced Tony and married Clois Love. They have no children.

Beverly Ann, the third child, was born January 12, 1933. She married John Myles McKenzie. They have two children:

Michelle Ann, the first child, was born January 8, 1957.

John Myles McKenzie III, the second child, was born April 17, 1958.

Ima Lee, the second child, was born February 25, 1912. She married Arnold Shuler and they have one son:

John David, was born June 16, 1931. He married Frankie ——— and they have three children:

Brenda Faith, the first child, was born October 28, 1951.

Dewana Louvenia, the second child, was born February 10, 1954.

John Gary, the third child, was born March 31, 1957.

Venice Mae, the third child, was born January 30, 1914. She married James Asa Lee and they had four children:

Mona Jo, the first child, was born December 15, 1934. She married Jack McKelvy, who was killed in a plane crash about six weeks after their marriage.

Jerry Nebraska, the second child, was born September 26, 1936.

Linda Faith, the third child, was born February 13, 1941.

Patricia Evelyn, the fourth child, was born November 27, 1942. She died June 23, 1943.

Gladys Alma, the fourth child, was born March 6, 1916. She died July 6, 1917.

William Harlan's second marriage was to Anna May Morton. They had one son:

Phillip Pershing, was born October 19, 1918. He married Mary Jones and they have two children:

Phyllis Ann, the first child, was born February 15, 1947.

Richard Olon, the second child, was born September 3, 1949.

In 1928 he divorced his second wife for scriptural reasons. Harlan also divorced two other women in 1928 and 1929 for scriptural reasons. One was from Tennessee and one from West Virginia. His fifth marriage was to Gertrude McQuithy on October 26, 1930. She was born May 7, 1911 at Salt Lick, Kentucky. They have four children:

Naomi Carol, the first child, was born November 29, 1931. She married Britian Hunter Sanders. They had three children:

Cheryl Lynn, the first child, was born September 23, 1950. She died September 25, 1950.

Michael Lynn, the second child, was born Dec. 10, 1951.

———, the third child, was born ———.

Bertha Gloria Sue, the second child, was born April 15, 1938.

William Edward, the third child, was born November 19, 1939.

Douglas McArthur, the fourth child, was born March 6, 1942.

Born to Hunter and Carol Sanders, a daughter, 8 lbs. 6oz. November 12, 1958. Name, Cynthia Dawn Sanders.

Hiram, the eighth son (born July 9, 1851) married Sarah Shockey. Bought a farm on Swango fork of Stillwater Creek and resided there all his life. They had one son and two daughters. After the children were grown, Hiram and Sarah separated. Hiram married Nancy Ratcliff and Sarah married James Harris. After Hiram died, his widow, Nancy Ratliff, married Rev. Jeff Brewer, a Baptist minister. He was the son of George Washington Swango.

Henry was a worthless drinking kind of man but had a kind and friendly disposition.

Matilda married Joel Gevedon and had two sons and one girl (Joe Henry, Hiram and Geneva). After Gevedon's death, Matilda married Charles Clark—they separated—she married Sam Wheeler who was at one time sheriff of Morgan County, Kentucky, and a livestock trader.

Rosa Bella married Bowen Rose. They had one son (Robert) and one daughter (Arizona). Rose shot and killed two men (John Mays and Jake Wireman) for stealing his mule. They were both riding the mule when he killed them. Rose was acquitted when tried for the killing. Later Rose was shot and killed by Bad Bill Tutt. Rosa Bella then married Jake Fulks who died and she married Amos Holiday.

Harrison, the ninth son, (born Jan. 15, 1854, and died Oct. 21, 1934) married Mary Hobbs and settled on Stillwater near his father's home. Their children all died in infancy. The wife

died in late middle life. Harrison then married Eltha Swango, the widow of his brother Green, who had no children. Harrison was a good farmer but was not wealthy. He raised Isaac Swango, a son of his younger brother, Samuel. Samuel's first wife, the mother of Isaac, was a sister of Harrison's first wife. A horse stepped on Harrison's ankle in the late 1880's broke the bones above the ankle causing the loss of his foot after many months of suffering. He wore an artificial foot. Later a horse bolted and threw him; his artificial foot hung in the stirrup and the horse dragged him a long way over frozen ground tearing the skin and a lot of flesh from his back and the back of his head. Finally the artificial foot pulled from his leg releasing him thereby saving his life. He was in bed for many months from this injury but finally recovered. He was the son of George Washington Swango.

Samuel Swango, youngest son of George Washington and Lucinda Swango, was born on July 26, 1856. He married Ellen Hobbs, a sister to his brother Harrison's wife. They had one son, Issac Swango, who was born October 23, 1875. Ellen Hobbs Swango died October 24, 1875. Samuel then married Catherine Taylor at Campton, Kentucky. He was a farmer and carpenter. They settled on Stillwater Creek and raised a family of five children.

Isaac Swango, son of Samuel and Ellen Hobbs Swango, was born October 23, 1875 near Campton, Kentucky. He was a farmer and lived on Stillwater Creek all his life. At one time he owned several hundred acres of land in Wolfe County, Kentucky. He married Caroline Lawson January 19, 1899. She was born April 16, 1871. They were the parents of eight children: Mary Jane, Ellen, Samuel, Josie, Bertha, Harrison, Carrie and Martha.

Mary Jane was born November 23, 1899. She married Henry Swango December 27, 1920. They had no children. Henry died April 2, 1947.

Ellen was born May 22, 1901. She married Joe Reynolds March 10, 1924. They had three children: Joseph Daniel, Clayton and Willard.

Joseph Daniel was born January 26, 1926. He married Edith Wright April 14, 1947. They have two children.

Diane Gale born March 20, 1948.

Fanny born September 3, 1954.

Clayton was born October 12, 1928.

Willard was born July 18, 1930.

All of those boys served in the Army Air Force overseas.

Joe Reynolds died June 1, 1930. Ellen then married George Kincaid on October 20, 1932. They have five children: Charles, W. Jefferson and William S., Pearl Ellen and Sadie.

Charles Kincaid was born September 24, 1933.

W. Jefferson Kincaid was born Feb. 5, 1935.

William Swango Kincaid was born March 11, 1936.

Pearl Ellen Kincaid was born December 10, 1938.

Sadie Kincaid was born August 10, 1940.

Two of these boys are in the Army Air Force, one in Germany.

Bertha Swango was born March 9, 1906. She married Jack Creech on August 4, 1926. They have five children: Paul, John, Donna Caroline, Ellen and Alice.

Paul Creech was born August 2, 1927. He married _____ February, 1946. He served 4 years in the Navy from 1940 to 1944. They have no children.

John Creech was born June 12, 1930. He married _____ Brahan on February 2, 1949. They have two children, Jack Creech Jr., who was born March 1, 1950 and a daughter, who was born Dec. 2, 1952.

Donna Caroline Creech was born March 28, 1932.

Ellen Creech was born March 15, 1934. She died March 20, 1939.

Alice Creech was born April 26, 1936.

Jack Creech died September 30, 1935. Bertha then married Ray Anderson on July 19, 1938. They have one child, Isaac, who was born April 26, 1940. Ray Anderson died in April 1943. Bertha then married Sam Robison December 31, 1943. They had two girls:

Ruby Robison was born September 26, 1945.

Sandra Robison was born November 31, 1947.

Samuel Swango, oldest son of Issac and Caroline Swango, never married and has always lived at home. He was born March 7, 1903.

Josie Swango, third daughter of Issac and Caroline Swango, was never married. She was born September 7, 1904 and died November 27, 1929.

Harrison Swango, second son of Issac and Caroline Swango, was born December 2, 1907. He never married and at present he lives in Middletown, Ohio.

Martha Swango, fourth daughter of Issac and Caroline Swango was born September 24, 1912. She never married. She died December 2, 1929.

Carry Swango was born May 12, 1909, never married and always lived at home.

Caroline Swango, daughter of Samuel and Catherine Taylor Swango, was born in 1881. She married John Hollon in 1915. He was born in 1888. They have eight children: Beckman, Ella, Morton, Albert, Stanley, Leslie, Edna and Opal.

Beckman Hollon was born in May 1904. He married Roxie Ausborn. They have two children: Katheline and Joan.

Ella Hollon was born in August 1906. She married Clyde Haley. They have two children: Charles and Porter Ray.

Morton Hollon was born in August 1909. He married Eva Phillips. They have three children: Vernon, Freddie and Rosie.

Albert Hollon was born in August 1911. He married Daisy Patton. They have two children: Bobbie and Donnie.

Stanley Hollon was born September 21, 1915. He married Virginia ———.

Leslie Hollon was born July 3, 1917. Not married.

Edna Hollon was born June 14, 1919. She married Jimmie Ritchie. They have seven children: Jimmie, Naoma, E. Howard, Betty Jean, Jackie, Carl David and Caroline Sue.

Opal Hollon was born May 1923. She married Stanley Fields. They have six children: Willard and Millard, twins, Reda Fay, Donald and Ronald, twins, and Marilyan Sue.

Lula Swango, daughter of Samuel and Catherine Swango, was born July 26, 1884 at Campton, Kentucky. She married Greenbery Peck December 31, 1901. Mr. Peck was born April 24, 1865. They have nine children:

Cora Peck was born January 29, 1903. She married Fred Sokol on October 12, 1941. They have no children.

Millie Peck was born December 9, 1904. She married Willard Hatfield. They have no children.

James Silas Peck was born April 14, 1907. He married Anna Fullen. They have no children.

Andrew Campbell Peck was born September 12, 1910. He married Margaret Steele. They have no children.

Margaret died June 4, 1953.

Sarah Peck was born June 23, 1913. She married Dave Magee. They have no children.

Maggie Peck was born October 22, 1915. She married Elbert Southerlan. They have two children, both boys.

Jackie Lee Southerlan was born February 23, 1942.

Paul Southerlan was born April 18, 1951.

They are now living in Detroit, Michigan.

Walter Edward Peck was born March 12, 1918. He was called to serve his country March 1, 1942. He was overseas 32 months in North Africa, Italy and other places. He married Billigene Dupre in October 1945. They have no children, and are living in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Alma Peck was born November 30, 1920. She never married. She died on December 2, 1952, at Dayton, Ohio.

Robert Lee Peck was born April 14, 1924. He married Bes-sie Miracle. They have no children.

Taylor F. Swango, son of Samuel and Catherine Swango, was born in 1885 and died in October, 1941 at the age of 55 years. His death was caused by a probable brain tumor. He was married to Louella Dunn in Wolfe County, Kentucky. They later moved to Powell County, Kentucky, where they bought a farm and built a home. The farm joins what is now Natural Bridge State Park. Taylor F. Swango was known in his com-

munity as a good and kindly man. His wife still lives at Slade in Powell County. While living he pursued the occupation of a tool dresser in the oil fields of his home county. To this union were born four boys and three girls.

Conley Samuel Swango, born in Wolfe County in 1914 and died at Clark County Hospital in 1921.

Gladys Mae Swango, born August 20, 1917 at Lombard, Kentucky, and is now residing at Apco, Ohio, where she is employed at the Ravenna Arsenal. She is a member of the Church of Christ. She was married at Campton, Wolfe County, Kentucky, on November 2, 1935 to Arthur Lloyd Daugherty of Phillipi, West Virginia. He served in the Civilian Conservation Corps from 1934 until 1936 and is now employed as a brakeman on the B & O Railroad. He is also an active member of the Church of Christ. To this union was born five children.

Anita Carmen, daughter, born July 29, 1936 at Phillipi, West Virginia. She is a member of the Church of Christ. She married Richard Corley. He is now serving in the Navy. They have one son.

Emanuel Burton Daugherty born at Phillipi, West Virginia, is now a junior at Bracerville High school and a member of the Church of Christ.

Ronald Alford Daugherty, born Sept. 27, 1940 at Phillipi, West Virginia, is a student at Bracerville High school.

Ellen Grace Daugherty, born July 20, 1942 at Phillipi, West Virginia, is a student at Bracerville High school and a member of the church.

Rosetta Mae Daugherty born Sept. 12, 1944 at Warren Ohio, is now a student at Bracerville High school.

Emanuel Lee Swango was born in 1920 at Natural Bridge, Kentucky. He served from 1942 until 1945 in the U. S. Army during World War II. He served with General Mark Clark in the European theater of operations and was in five major battles including the Anzio Beachhead in Italy. He is now married and lives at 1136 Franklin St., Trenton, New Jersey.

Lonnie Alford Swango, born July 28, 1923 at Natural Bridge, Kentucky. He served in the army during World War II from 1942 until 1946 in the Air Force branch but was never ordered

overseas. He was married to Cora Thrope of Slade, Kentucky in 1943. To this union one son, Denzil, was born. Cora died in 1944. They now reside in Warren, Ohio.

William F. Swango was born Sept. 26, 1925 at Natural Bridge, Kentucky. He served in the U. S. Army from 1952 until 1954 in California. He was a Corporal, a tank mechanic but was never ordered overseas. He married Janice Yearly of Powell County, Kentucky and has one daughter, Patricia Swango.

Annie Catherine Swango, born May 11, 1929 at Natural Bridge, Kentucky. She married Virgil Townsend, of Powell County, Kentucky, Sept. 18, 1946. They farmed tobacco for two years near Lexington, Kentucky. Virgil is now a compressor operator for Tennessee Gas Trans. Co., at Greenup, Kentucky. He served during World War II in the Third Armored Division in Europe under Dwight D. Eisenhower. He was in five major battles: Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Central Europe, Ardennes. To this union have been born two girls: Linda Lou born 1947 and Dorothy Ann. Both girls born in Clark County hospital at Winchester, Kentucky. They are now students at Lynn Grade School. The family resides at Lynn, Kentucky, in Greenup County.

Wanda Irene Swango was born in 1932 at Natural Bridge, Kentucky. She was married November 28, 1950 to Hugh Catron, of Powell County. He spent World War II in the South Pacific and was wounded on Okinawa. He served under General MacArthur and received his discharge in 1946. They now own their home at Slade, Kentucky, and have four sons: Billy Randall, born Nov. 19, 1951, Donald, born Feb. 2, 1953, Virgil B. Catron, born Nov. 8, 1955 and David Randall Catron. They were born at Clark County hospital at Winchester, Kentucky.

William Stephen Swango, second son of Samuel Swango, was born May 8, 1889, near Campton, Kentucky. He served in World War I and was foreman on road construction work in Wolfe County, Kentucky. He was a member of the Draft Board for several years. He bought a small place on Stillwater and built a new home, where he now resides. He married Lillie Chambers on November 21, 1933. They had four children:

Lou Catherine Swango was born August 17, 1934. She married Lawrence Brewer in May 1950, and has three children:

Millie Emilie Brewer was born in February 1951.

Mickel Lee Brewer was born in May 1953.

Phyllis Ann Brewer was born September 1, 1958.

Millie Elizabeth, second daughter of Steve and Lillie Swango, was born March 14, 1936. Married George Stamper in 1954. They have three children:

Barbara Ann, born June 22, 1955.

George Henry, born May 19, 1956.

Lillian Rose, born July 15, 1957.

George is a mechanic.

Willie and Lillie, twins, son and daughter of Steve and Lillie Swango, were born April 23, 1938. They died in infancy.

Sarah Swango, daughter of Samuel and Caroline Swango, was born on Stillwater near Campton, Kentucky, on November 8, 1882. She married Frank Dunn of Wolfe County, Kentucky, who passed away several years ago. They had one child, who died at birth. Sarah died April 24, 1908.

Fanny Swango, daughter of George Washington Swango, was born January 3, 1835. She married James Rose in 1853. They were the parents of nine children, five boys and four girls:

David Rose, son of Fanny Rose, married Mary Whisman. They had four children: Floyd, John, Tom and George.

Steve Rose, son of Fanny Rose, married Serilda Cecil. They had nine children: Bruce, Cora, Curt, Fannie, Lena, Frank, Mollie, Courtney, and Omer.

James Rose, son of Fanny Rose, married Rachel Brown. They had eight children: Clint, Emma, Letha, Debbie, Jessie, Harlin, Charlie, Darley.

George Rose, son of Fanny Rose, married Eliza Channey. They had six children: Nelson, Rodney, Addie, Fannie, Minnie, and Mattie.

Calvin Rose, son of Fanny Rose, married Laura Delusk. They had four children: Lewis, Clyde, Eva, and Effie.

Lucinda Rose, daughter of Fanny Rose, married Louis Lawson. They had two children: James and David.

Rosa Rose, daughter of Fanny Rose, married Steve Center. They had two children: James and Herchel.

Jane Rose, daughter of Fanny Rose, married Clint Byrd. They had eight children: Osa, Steve, Soloman, Bert, Mattie, Emma, Ora, and Nola.

Emma Rose, daughter of Fannie Rose, married John Pelfrey. They had no children.

Jane, second daughter of George Washington and Loucinda Swango, was born November 29, 1847. She married William Lawson and they had five children:

Billie Lawson, son of William and Jane Swango Lawson, was born in 1868. He married Mollie Honacker. They raised a large family. His wife died several years ago. Billie is still living near Maytown, Kentucky, in Morgan County (July, 1958).

Steve, second son of William and Jane Swango Lawson, married Candace Bowman. They raised a large family—names not known. Steve and his wife both died several years ago.

Caroline, the first daughter of William and Jane Swango Lawson, was born April 16, 1871. She married Issac Swango on January 19, 1899. They were the parents of eight children.

Rhoda, the second daughter of William and Jane Swango Lawson, married Jimmie Honaker. They were divorced and she then married Thomas Bowman. They are all deceased.

Josie, the youngest daughter of William and Jane Swango Lawson, married William Little. They had several children. They later separated. At this time, she is still living but her address is unknown.

Caroline Swango, daughter of George Washington Swango (born September 14, 1849) married Henry Shockey. They had one son, Hiram.

The foregoing information was furnished by B. F. Swango, RR 1, Toulon, Illinois.

Harrison Swango, second son of Abraham and Deby Ogden Swango, was born November 8, 1812 near Hazelgreen, then Morgan County, Kentucky. He was a prosperous farmer. He also discovered and operated the Swango Springs, a health resort near Hazelgreen. He died March 31, 1908 at the age of 96 years. He married Anna Rose on February 6, 1837. She was born in 1816 and died in 1864. To this union ten children were born:

1. *Deborah Jane*, daughter of Harrison Swango was born December 18, 1838. She married William Kash and went to Missouri.

2. *David F.*, first son of Harrison Swango, was born in 1840 and was never married. He was a Captain in the command of the raider, John Morgan, during the Civil War. He was killed in action at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky. He was captain of the same company his uncle, Chapman Swango, commanded when he (Chapman) was killed earlier in the war.

The following is a copy of the original letter sent to Harrison and Anna Swango by their son, David F. Swango on Oct. 8, 1863.

Camp Blue Spring
October 8, 1863

Dear Father and Mother:

We have been facing the enemy and picket fighting for nearly one month and have had some casualties in my course, which will grieve you much. There is a consolation though—when a good man falls in the discharge of his duties, he is at rest.

Lt. William H. Swango is no more. He was killed September 21 near Curtis Bridge, Pennsylvania. He died as did Captain H. C. Swango saying "Stand your ground boys". He fell into the enemy hands a dead man. I received his body under a flag of truce and had it neatly interred in Tazewell County, Virginia, in the honor of war. Myself, Calvin Greenberry, Frank Rose, H. R. Ashburry, William Gibby and Helse accompanied his remains to Virginia. When we left, G. B. Swango rejoined our comrades in battle.

John Murray was wounded the same time and place. He

was shot in the shoulder, but is almost well.

William Pysa is sick. With that exception the company is all well. Mother, I hope you take it as easy as possible. This regiment mourns the loss of such an officer. He was without an enemy and beloved by all officers and soldiers.

Your son,

D. F. Swango

Abraham Newton Swango, son of Harrison Swango was born November 18, 1841 in Hazelgreen, Kentucky. He went to Coles County, Illinois, when he was a young man of 20. He settled north of Charleston, where they reared their family. He married Eliza Ellen Craig on March 5, 1867. Both died at the farm, Newton, on February 12, 1912, Ellen on June 20, 1921. They are buried in Craig cemetery. They lost two sons (Frank and William) in infancy. They raised three sons and three daughters.

Mollie Swango, daughter of Abraham Newton Swango, was born on December 16, 1869, died May 5, 1906, and is buried in Mound Cemetery, Charleston, Illinois. She married Zollie O'Hair March 23, 1892 at Fairgrange, Illinois. She died August 5, 1953, and was buried at Paris, Illinois. They raised a family of two children.

1. *Frank O'Hair* is married and lives at Paris, Illinois.

2. *Zella O'Hair* is married and at present (1958) is in a hospital at Paris, Illinois.

Effie, daughter of Abraham Newton Swango, was born July 4, 1875, and died October 26, 1940. She married Claude Newman on February 25, 1896. He died March 7, 1936. Both are buried in Mound Cemetery at Charleston, Illinois. They have two children:

1. *Ruth Newman* is married and lives in Charleston, Illinois.

2. *Howard Newman* is married and lives in St. Joseph, Illinois.

Fred Swango, son of Abraham Newton Swango, who was born December 1, 1880. He is living in a rest home in Charleston, Illinois. He married May Lone of Kansas, Illinois, on December 7, 1904. She died December 18, 1939 and is buried in

Rose Lawn Cemetery just west of Charleston, Illinois. They made their home in Charleston. They have one daughter.

1. *Louise* married Elza Davis. She has one son, Fred, by a former marriage. They are making their home in Charleston, Illinois.

Tom, son of Abraham Newton Swango, was born December 23, 1881. He married Lora Franklin on November 28, 1909 at Charleston, Illinois. She died April 16, 1952, and is buried in Mound Cemetery near Charleston. After her death Tom went to make his home with his sister, Fern. He had no children.

Fern, daughter of Abraham Newton Swango, was born June 23, 1888. She married Samuel Talbott on October 22, 1907 at Charleston, Illinois. He died December 7, 1948. They had four daughters. Samuel and a daughter, Virginia, are buried in Mound Cemetery, Charleston, Illinois.

1. *Pauline Talbott* married Aubrey Snyder and lives in Charleston.

2. *Virginia Talbott* died May 29, 1922 at the age of 12.

3. *Geneva Talbott* married Joseph Callahan and lives in Charleston.

4. *Betty Lou Talbott* married Forest Ellington and lives at Grand Island, Nebraska.

Don, son of Abraham Newton Swango, was born November 23, 1895. He married Blanch Nickell on February 9, 1924 at Ashmore, Illinois. They had an interest in a bakery in Charleston for a number of years. They have two sons:

1. *Donald Lee Swango* is married and lives in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

2. *Stephen Swango* lives at home.

James Calvin Swango, son of Harrison Swango, was born October 10, 1843 at Hazel Green, Kentucky. He was a farmer by trade. He married Josephine Trimble November 10, 1870. To them was born three daughters and one son as follows: Ida Carry, Ava Ellen, Ora Dale, and Erb Trimble.

Ida Carry was born 1873 and died 1900. Married Will P.

Cecil of Cedar Bluff, Virginia. To them was born one daughter, Fern Cecil. She married Hugh Byron Evans, of Texarkana, Arkansas. To them was born one daughter, Geraldine Evans, born November 7, 1926. She was a government employee until she was married January 27, 1944 to Clois Arron Jobe Jr. Now living at Torrance, California. To them was born one son, Robert Jobe, born February 22, 1945 at Waco, Texas. He is living at home.

2. *Ava Ellen*, daughter of James Calvin Swango, was born October 20, 1876 and died July 17, 1929. She married Dr. J. W. Fallon of Dallas, Texas. They had one daughter and one son:

Josephine LaVern Fallon married Blake Allen Palmer of San Antonio, Texas. They have one daughter, June Carolyn Palmer, who married Carroll S. Werner of San Antonio, Texas.

Nelson O. Fallon, of Houston, Texas, never married.

3. *Ora Dale*, daughter of James Calvin Swango, married Roy E. Finley of Rochester, New York. They have no children. She is the only living member of her family. She lives at Houston, Texas.

4. *Erb Trimble Swango*, son of James Calvin Swango, married Shirley Beard of Dallas, Texas. They had two sons and a daughter:

Adrian W. Swango, son of Erb Swango, married Pauline Luman of Dallas, Texas. They have one daughter and one son: Phillip Adrian Swango and Julia Beth Swango.

Billie J. Swango, son of Erb Swango, married Beth Godwin, of Dallas, Texas. They have one daughter, Kimberly Swango.

Marjory Dale Swango, daughter of Erb Swango, married Foy Johnson of Dallas, Texas. They have one daughter, Joe Meta Swango Johnson, who married Jack Holland of Dallas, Texas. They have a daughter and son Mark and Bobby Holland.

4. *William H.*, fourth son of Harrison Swango, was born February 1846. He never married. He was a lieutenant in Morgan's command during the Civil War, and was killed in action in the state of Virginia on September 21, 1863. He was surprised and shot down, but raised to his knees, emptied his revolver into the enemy and expired.



Front, left to right: Harrison Swango, Arberry Swango, Cletus F. Swango, A Beryl Swango, William (Bill) Franklin Swango
Back: Abraham and Debby Ogden Swango.

Arberry Butler Swango was the fifth son of Harrison and Anna Swango. He was born September 25, 1848. He married Frances (Fannie) Kash of Black Water, Wolfe County, Kentucky, on March 18, 1873. They lived in Wolfe County, Kentucky until 1901, when they moved to Means Menifee County where they spent the remainder of their lives. Fannie died September 30, 1927. Arberry died February 15, 1931. They raised a family of seven children: three boys and four girls: Curtis M., Cletus F., Wm. O., Nora E., Carrie A., Nancy and Lizzie E.

Curtis Miles, son of Arberry Swango, was born December 31, 1880. He served three years in the Spanish-American War. After he returned he married Callie Oney of Hazel Green, Kentucky on April 23, 1902. They moved to Mississippi and raised three sons: Ola, Raymond and Curtis M. Jr. They live in Sardis, Mississippi. Curtis died March 30, 1958.

Ola H. Swango, married Miss Roy Thomas of Memphis, Tennessee, and they have two children: Richard and Margaret.

Richard married Pearl Embree of Como, Mississippi. They have two children: Catherine and Callie.

Raymond married Kate Taylor Craig of Como, Mississippi. They have two children, both of whom are married.

Peggy married Lt. Oliver Van Hoesen, of Austin, Texas.

Callie married Lt. William Brandon of Clarksdale, Mississippi., now stationed at Okinawa.

Curtis M. Swango Jr., married Clara Coleman of Como, Mississippi. They had no children. He is at the present time (1955) a Circuit Court Judge of the Seventeenth Circuit Court District.

Cletus Franklin Swango was born April 18, 1883. He married Melva Phelps at Johnson Station in Montgomery County, Kentucky on Feb. 27, 1910. They lived in Menifee and Montgomery County for several years and then moved to Omar, West Virginia in 1923, then to St. Albans, W. Va. They raised four children—three boys and one girl: Earl F., William H., Arberry Beryl and Nancy C. Cletus died March 10, 1956.

Earl Franklin Swango was born June 1, 1913. On Sept. 15, 1934 he married Agnes Gertrude Nisbet, who was born March 25, 1917. She was from Logan, West Virginia. He is a contractor and they live in St. Albans, West Virginia. They have one child, a daughter, Patricia Louise, who was born February 17, 1945.

William Herald Swango was born July 20, 1915. He is a chemist at the Carbide and Carbon Chemical Company. On November 5, 1937 he married Maxine Virginia May, a teacher of St. Albans. They live in St. Albans, West Virginia and have one daughter, Nancy Marie, who was born on July 19, 1942.

Nancy Christine Swango was born October 15, 1917. She married Elmer Lee Wiley at Logan, West Virginia, on October 14, 1939. Elmer is now employed in the State Compensation Dept. at Charleston, West Virginia. They live in St. Albans, West Virginia, and have one son, Gary Lee Wiley, who was born January 17, 1952.

Arberry Beryl Swango was born September 20, 1921. He

married Helen Rose Frazier of Logan, West Virginia, on March 8, 1941. They have two sons: William Franklin who was born April 19, 1942 and David Latt who was born March 16, 1958. Beryl served two years with the U. S. Marines and was wounded seriously on Okinawa. He spent quite a while in the Naval Hospital on Guam. He served in China where he became ill with rheumatic fever and was sent home. He is now assistant to vice president in charge of coal sales for A. T. Massey Coal Company, Richmond, Virginia.

William Oliver Swango, son of Arberry and Frances Kash Swango was born July 14, 1896 at Hazel Green, Kentucky. He married Buena Vista Hatfield, who was born August 6, 1902 at Ransom, Kentucky in Pike County. They now live at Batesville, Mississippi, RR 3 (In 1957). They are the parents of two children: William V., and Hildreth J.

William Vernon Swango was born February 2, 1923 at Means, Kentucky. He served over three years in World War II, came home and married Frances Elizabeth Littlejohn on May 23, 1946. To them were born two daughters: They live in Memphis, Tennessee.

Cathy Dianne Swango was born June 6, 1947.

Melissa Kay Swango was born May 6, 1952.

Hildreth Joyce Swango was born December 22, 1924 at Lake Carrier, Mississippi. She married Donald Eugene Corp., of California, on August 1, 1947. To them three daughters were born. They were divorced in February 1954 and re-married April 6, 1957, and now live at Gulfport, Mississippi.

Donna Corp was born September 17, 1948 in Oregon.

Hildreth Nanette Corp was born December 1, 1950 at Memphis, Tennessee.

Robin Lynn Corp was born February 19, 1954 at Memphis, Tennessee.

Nora Etta Swango, daughter of Arberry and Frances Kash Swango, was born December 15, 1875. She married Clay Little in 1902. They lived in Paris, Illinois a few years and then moved back to Menifee County, Kentucky. They had three children, two sons, Drexel and Jessie, and one daughter Lavern, who married H. L. Gass and lived in Tampa, Florida. Etta

died December 20, 1923.

Carrie Ann Swango, second daughter of Arberry and Frances Swango, was born August 25, 1878. She married Henry Cecil of Hazel Green, Wolf County, Kentucky on February 25, 1903. They lived in Hazel Green until the spring of 1919, and then moved to Lewisville, Indiana. They now live at 222 West Wadsworth Street in Eaton, Ohio. They raised a family of three girls, Dessie, Altonia and Margaret. Carrie died in April 1957.

Dessie was born September 13, 1904 and died at the age of 17.

Altonia was born October 5, 1906 and married Earl Martin. They have one daughter, Sherrilee, who was born May 17, 1941. They own and operate a business of the Ford Tractor Sales in Eaton, Ohio.

Margaret was born October 12, 1912. She married Earl Crumpton and lives in Richmond, Indiana, where she owns and operates a Beauty Shop. They have no children.

Nancy, the third daughter of Arberry and Frances Swango, was born December 2, 1886. She married Menifee Ringo on July 1, 1917. He died December 17, 1917. She then married Henry F. Hall in 1920. He was a pastor of the Christian Church. He died in 1940. They had two children: Henry M. and Vera Ann.

Henry Hall enlisted in the Army on July 8, 1941. He was wounded in France in 1944 and was discharged October 1, 1945. He married Elizabeth Carpenter in 1943. They have two children, Henry Ray and Sandra Ann.

Vera Ann Hall married Albert Basten in 1944. They had one son Frank. They were divorced. In 1948 Vera remarried. She married Richard Otto and they have two children, Ricky Lyn and Ruth Ann.

Lizzie Ellen Swango, the youngest daughter of Arberry and Frances Swango, was born January 20, 1893 at Hazel Green, Kentucky. She was married to Sewell Cornwell on August 20, 1911 at Means, Menifee County, Kentucky. In 1938 they moved to Eaton, Ohio RR 1, where they now reside. They had three children, two boys and one girl.

Pauline Cornwell, was born January 5, 1913 at Cornwell, Kentucky. She married Harold Fox of Richmond, Indiana. They have no children. She has been employed as a teacher in one of their city schools for several years. Harold is owner and manager of the Fox Auto Service, Richmond, Indiana.

Jack R. Cornwell was born April 23, 1917 at Cornwell, Kentucky. He married Esther Pence, of Easton, Ohio on May 31, 1941 and they have two children, a girl and a boy.

Connie Sue was born December 31, 1948.

John Mason was born April 23, 1956.

They live in Eaton, Ohio and operate a business there with Ohio Oil Co.

Gano H. Cornwell was born November 19, 1919 at Cornwell, Kentucky. He was married to Evelyn Weldman, on July 11, 1942 at Champaign, Illinois. He joined the Air Force on September 11, 1940 at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, and was later transferred to Chanute Field, Illinois, where he remained until August 15, 1945. He was then sent overseas to the Philippine Islands in the South Pacific, where he spent four months, and was then sent back to the States to receive his discharge with the rank of Staff Sgt. on December 13, 1950 at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. He remained in a reserve status until October 12, 1950 at which time he was recalled to active duty at Pope Air Force Base, North Carolina. He served one year there. Since then he has been employed with Dayton Rubber Company, Dayton, Ohio. At present he is manager of one of their plants at Wainsville, North Carolina.

HISTORY OF THE SWANGO REUNION

For years the sons and daughters of Arberry B. Swango had talked of having a family reunion, but, as so often is the case, nothing was done about it. Finally, on July 15, 1953, Earl Swango, his wife, Agnes, Gano Cornwell and his wife Evelyn, decided to do something. These are grandsons of the late Arberry Swango.

Invitations were mailed to all descendants of their grandfather. This resulted in thirty-three attending the meeting which was held at the home of Sewell and Lizzie Cornwell at Eaton, Ohio, on Labor Day week end, 1953.

Most of the folks arrived on Saturday. Food was prepared by the younger ones. Each family attending shared equally in the expense. The business meeting was held on Sunday. To get things started, Elmer Wiley acted as temporary chairman for election of officers. Gano Cornwell was elected President. Evelyn Cornwell, secretary and Earl Swango, treasurer. It was decided to hold a reunion each year during summer vacations. The next one to be held on July 4 week end.

This was held at the home of Cletus and Melva Swango at St. Albans, West Virginia in 1954. Thirty-eight attended this. Most of these arrived on Saturday and left Monday morning. William H. Swango of St. Albans was elected as president, Evelyn Cornwell again as secretary and Jack Cornwell, treasurer.

The third meeting was held at the home of Earl and Altonia Martin in Eaton, Ohio, on July 4th week end 1955. For this, more families were notified and fifty-five attended. Seven States were represented from Virginia to California. Again, as in previous years, food was prepared at the home and financed by each family attending. Here R. P. Swango, of Lexington, Kentucky, was elected president. Evelyn Cornwell again secretary and Jack Cornwell again treasurer. It was decided to hold the next meeting on Labor Day week end.

This fourth meeting was held at Joyland Park, Lexington, Kentucky, 1956. Attendance was one hundred sixty. Dr. Ray Swango of Ironton, Ohio, was elected president; Melva Swango, secretary and treasurer.

It was voted to continue to hold these meetings at Joyland Park on Labor Day week ends.

The fifth meeting was held here in 1957, with approximately 175 present. Here, A. Beryl Swango, of Richmond, Virginia, was elected president; Melva Swango, again secretary and treasurer.

The sixth meeting was held again at Joyland Park in 1958. About one hundred members were present. Here Jack Cornwell, of Eaton, Ohio, was elected president; Evelyn Cornwell, secretary and treasurer. At these meetings at the Park, most of the folks arrive in Lexington on Saturday. They find lodging at the motels. The Sunday noon meal is prepared in the kitchen at the park, each one paying for his own meal.

This history is respectfully submitted by Melva Swango (Past Secretary-Treasurer), St. Albans, West Virginia.

THE SWANGO SPRINGS

NEAR HAZEL GREEN, WOLFE COUNTY, KENTUCKY



The Swango Springs were discovered about the year 1865 by Harrison Swango and his son, Arberry, then a young man in his teens. They were cultivating a field of corn on a hillside near their home. Becoming thirsty, they began to search for water. Finding a water seep in the side of a hill, they dug a hole that they might have water to drink. (This was done often in those days.) When they drank this water, they found it was far different from any they had ever tasted. My grandfather, Harrison Swango, sent a sample to be analyzed. This analysis showed the water to contain a high percentage of minerals, which were helpful in curing diseases, especially stomach trouble.

Sometime later they became more interested and began making plans to open up a health resort. A frame house was built over the springs and roads were made to it. Soon people were coming from various places. Several came from the Blue Grass section of the state driving there in carriages and buggies, but as there were no good roads leading to Hazel Green, then, many came by way of train over the L & N Railroad to Helechaw, about five miles away. Then they came on the rest of the way by the Mail Hack.

Harmon, another son of Harrison Swango, built a large "boarding house" at the foot of the hill to help care for the boarders.

Several years later, about the year, 1895, Arberry Swango moved back to the "boarding house" and operated the Springs for his father as the latter's health was failing. Harrison lived in a cottage near this large house.

People continued to come and were cared for by residents of the town, also at the Carley Cecil and Lou Day's Hotels.

Every day and sometimes twice a day, you could see people walking toward the Springs with a water jug in hand. They would go to the Springs, drink what water they wanted, fill their jugs and return. They seemed to enjoy this walk as the path wound around a shady wooded hillside.

The "Spring Boarders," as they were called, came mostly in the Spring and Summer, due to the condition of the roads in winter.

In addition to the water used at the Springs, much was shipped by railroad to various states. This went on for several years. Then Harrison Swango sold the Springs to Mr. Rittenhouse, who built a large hotel in front of the Spring overlooking the beautiful Red River Valley. He continued operating this health resort until the hotel burned and was never rebuilt.

A few years later Mr. and Mrs. Crock Coldiron purchased the Springs and sold the water until their deaths. Then Mr. Coldiron's son-in-law, Mr. Glen McCown of Winchester, Kentucky, purchased the Springs. I understand the Springs have not been in operation since.

The only thing that stands out on that Memorial Hill now is a small stone house around the Springs. This is a memorial to the numbers and numbers who were restored to health and happiness by the minerals in the water. Perhaps some day soon the clock will turn backward for Swango Springs and this place will again be a peaceful health resort nestled among the hills of "Old Kentucky".

7. *Sarah Ellen*, daughter of Harrison Swango, was born in 1851. She married Joseph Kash on October 12, 1873 and died April 18, 1893.

8. *Henry Harmon Swango* was the sixth son of Harrison and

Anna Rose Swango. He was born in 1854 and died in 1926. He married Marguerite R. Cecil, who was born in 1858 and died in 1926. They lived near Hazelgreen, Kentucky. He was a farmer and proprietor of the Swango House, a health resort near the Swango Spring. They had four children:

1. *Mary Ann Mollie*, daughter of Henry Harmon Swango, was born in 1878 and died in 1941. She died at the old home place and was never married.

2. *Ruse Sewell Swango*, son of Henry Harmon Swango, was born in 1881 and died in 1938. He married Fanny Mann. They had one daughter, Eleanor. He was an employee of the L & N Railroad and lived in Latonia, Kentucky.

3. *Harry Ernest Swango*, son of Henry Harmon, was born in 1885 and married Nora Lovelace. She was born in 1880 and died in 1944. They had no children. He then married Sarah Maloney in 1944. They have two children: Winston Perry Swango, born in 1946 and Sarah Swango, born in 1947. They live near Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, where Perry farms and Sarah teaches.

4. *Roscoe Peery Swango*, son of Henry Harmon, was born in 1890. He was married in 1915 to Flossie Lacy who was born in 1895. He is a veteran of World War I and is now living in Lexington, Kentucky.

9. *Rosa Belle*, daughter of Harrison Swango, was born in 1855. She married Frank Cecil. The date is not known.

Elizabeth Swango, daughter of Harrison and Anna Rose Swango, was born November 14, 1857 and died March 6, 1893. She was married to S. S. Combs, of Breathitt County, Kentucky, on June 10, 1876. They lived in Breathitt and Wolf Counties. They settled in Campton, Wolf County, Kentucky, where they operated a general store for several years. S. S. Combs was born December 20, 1840 and died Decembr 19, 1916. To this union was born four childrn: Anabelle, Courtney F., Henry Harry, and S. S. Combs Jr.

1. *Annabelle Combs* was born July 12, 1877. She never married. She now resides at 307 Fifth Street, Richmond, Kentucky.

2. *Courtney Font Combs* was born February 24, 1879. He

went to Texas in 1908 and married Pauline Mauritz on October 25, 1911. They have one son, Mauritz Combs. He was born February 9, 1914. He is called Bill. He married Alice Elizabeth Muliken, daughter of Dr. Gibbs Muliken, of Kerrsville, Texas in December 1952. They have two daughters: Elizabeth Marie Combs, who was born November 27, 1953, and Courtney Ann Combs, who was born November 16, 1954.

3. *Henry Harry Combs* was born November 11, 1880. He married Sally Ann Tutt in June 1904. She was the daughter of Judge S. M. Tutt of Campton, Wolf County, Kentucky. Henry Harry Combs died March 11, 1956.

4. *S. S. Combs Jr.* was born March 6, 1893 and died August 6, 1893.

Stephen Swango, third son of Abraham Swango, was born in Wolfe County, Kentucky, married a Miss Caroline Trimble and settled south of Hazelgreen on Lacy's Creek. Was killed by being thrown from a horse while driving cattle on the road. He raised two sons and five or six girls.

Green Berry Swango, the oldest son, served in the Rebel Army under Gen. John Morgan. Had the top of one ear shot away by a musket ball. Served as page in the State Senate; was County Judge of Wolfe County, Kentucky, several terms. Served as Registrar of the Kentucky land office at Frankfort for one term. Was also member of the Constitutional Convention of Kentucky, (sometime in the eighties). He married a Miss Young, of Virginia; raised three sons (James, Charley and Morton). Charley died in Butte, Montana. Morton died soon after he was married. James is a lawyer and business man of Terre Haute, Indiana.

William T. Swango, youngest son of Stephen, married a Miss Quicksell, of near Ezel, Kentucky. Lived several years at Hazelgreen, then moved to Winchester and engaged in farming, and dealing in livestock. *One dau. Dora - D. 8/22/62*
M. Rev. George Prentiss

A daughter, married John O'Hair, of Paris, Illinois, and I think married a Harmon and went to Missouri while young.

Rose Elen Swango, married Morton Pieratt and raised two sons (Stephen and Berry) and one daughter (Lizzie) who married Charley Duff of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

Lizzie Swango, married Renney Pieratt (brother of Morton) and raised one son (Buford who married Effie Maxey) and one girl Clara, who died while still a young woman.

Clara Swango, married Asa Pieratt (brother of Morton and Renney) and raised two sons (Renny and ——).

Alice Swango, married Thomas Frazier of near Bushton, Illinois. Raised one daughter (Grace, who died when a young woman) and a son, William T. Frazier, who fed cattle and has two sons, James and John and one girl Virginia.

AN EARLY HISTORY OF THE SWANGO FAMILY AS TOLD BY JAMES H. SWANGO

Christmas vacation, 1890, my father (Judge Green Berry Swango) and I went to a little town called Glencoe near the Ohio river below Cincinnati to check up on some family history that we did not know. We got there one Sunday about noon in a great snow storm, and walked two or three miles and finally came to the home of one of our people. Later on, he went about a quarter of a mile away to bring his *Uncle Bill Swango*, known locally as "Black Beard." He was then eighty years old and lived alone and chopped his own wood for his log fire place. He was a very large man with almost black hair and beard and had only one eye. He was a typical pioneer and a kindly old man. He was a grandson of the old pioneer of Revolutionary fame who had migrated from the eastern shore of Virginia, to Lexington, and after staying there awhile went on to the Ohio river, and he got from his grandfather, information that we had never known and which appears in the following sketch which was a tradition in the family.

The first Swango in America was named William, who migrated from Holland before 1760, bringing his family, consisting of his wife and two sons, *Abraham and Isaac*. The wife died during the six weeks' voyage on a sailing vessel and was buried at sea. William died soon thereafter and his above-named sons were apprenticed to a wagon maker and learned that trade. As soon as the boys were twenty-one years of age, Isaac left for Pennsylvania. He never returned and so far as I know he left no descendants. Abraham married Ailsie Pyles, a young Irish girl in the Chesapeake Bay country. They resided

there and reared a family of four sons and three daughters, and after the Revolutionary War, all came West to Kentucky. The sons were James, Samuel, William, and Abraham and the daughters were Elizabeth, Nancy and Maria.

(Taken from a copy of this family history written by James H. Swango, who died a few years ago in Terre Haute, Indiana).

Swango, Elizabeth, (4—Abraham, 3—Samuel, 2—Abraham was born May 1, 1820. (Called "Betsy"). She married Tillman Johnson, born August 28, 1814, in South Carolina. Elizabeth died in 1893. They had nine children: Caroline, Mariah, Abraham Franklin, Polly Ann, Deborah Ellen, Rosa Adeline, Ella Jane, Lou Ann, and Nancy Jane. They are the sixth generation.

(6) *Caroline Johnson*, born 9-30-1837, died in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, married Thomas Pieratt. Two children: Emma married Dr. Lockhart, of Mt. Sterling and Ely Frank.

(6) *Mariah Johnson*, born 8-15-1840, died at Helechawa, Kentucky, married David Wilson.

(6) *Abraham Franklin Johnson*, of Hazel Green, Kentucky, born 1-15-1842, died 8-19-1919, married 10-1-1863 to Matildia Caroline James, born 11-7-1843 in Smith County, Virginia, died 3-27-1910. They had 12 children. They are number seven.

(7) *Willie B. Johnson*, born 9-10-1864 at Hazel Green Kentucky, died at Batavia, Ohio. Married Belle Fallen, (2) Emma Cox. No children. His children by 1st wife were: Ova, Jesse, Charles and Louie.

(7) *Ellis A. Johnson*, born 9-12-1866, died May, 1944, is buried in the Hazel Green cemetery. He married twice (1) Ida Taulbee, (2) Lou Ward (no children). Children by first wife: Ethel, (who married Beverly Buchanan), Robert Arch, (who married Angie Rose), Mary, Gladys and Lillian (who married Ralph Cann).

(7) *Emily Johnson*, born 9-30-1868, died 11-15-1884. Never married.

(7) *Joseph Johnson*, born 9-18-1870, died 11-11-1871. Never married.

(7) *Millie Elizabeth Johnson*, born 9-29-1872, died 4-4-1954, married 4-4-1892.

William Porter Lacy, born 11-29-1866, died 10-27-1937. They are buried in Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery, Lexington, Kentucky. Their children:

(8) *Flossie Caroline Lacy*, born 8-21-1895, married 12-9-1915 to Roscoe Peery Swango, born 5-16-1890. Soldier in World War I. No children.

(8) *Andrew Courtney Lacy*, born 8-25-1897, married 4-23-1919 to Pearl Clark. Divorced. They had one son: William Earl, born 3-8-1920. World War II soldier. Married April 1944 to Edna May Immel, R. N., of Salem, Ohio. Three children: William Earl, Jr., born 1-20-1946; Katherine, born April 29, 1949 and John Andrew, born 5-25-1951.

(7) *Fannie Johnson*, born 6-30-1874, died December 1943, married Willie Rice, born 10-31-1862, died 2-24-1925. Four children: Rollie, Marvin, Beulah and Rella.

(7) *Lou Ann Johnson*, born 4-3-1876, married 8-12-1902 Elmer Jones, born 3-23-1876, died 1-27-1946. They were married in Illinois. They had one son: Troy, born 9-11-1905, married Juanita Watson. Live in Eldora, Iowa.

(7) *Retta Ella Johnson*, born 6-3-1878, died 7-10-1914, married Frank Samples. Children were: Henry, Pearl, James and Fuller.

(7) *Myrtle Johnson*, born 11-11-1880, died 1-30-1955, in London, Ohio. Married 12-16-1903 to Fuller Forest Cecil. Children were: Mara, (who married Howard DeHart), Charles, married Mary K. Nickell and Hellen, who married Bob Dehart Keye.

(7) *Pearl Johnson*, born 11-11-1880, died 3-21-1957 in San Francisco, California. Married 8-23-1905 to William J. Davis. He died in 1950. (Born in Illinois.) One son, Lucius, who married Jean Dawson in San Francisco, California.

(7) *Sarah Caroline Johnson*, born 1-21-1883, died 4-19-1958 in London, Ohio, married 4-13-1904 to Boone Lacy. He died in 1913 at Lacy Creek, Kentucky. Six children: Oliver, Devonia, Ollie, Hallie, Monnie and Sanford Boone. Sarah married a second time to Malcom Barker. One son, Frank Barker.

(7) *Abraham Franklin Johnson*, born 10-31-1886, died 8-29-1949 in Columbus, Ohio, is buried at Hazel Green, Kentucky.

Married Grace Lacy, born 2-25-1895.

(6) *Polly Ann Johnson*, born March 9, 1844. Never married.

(6) *Deborah Ellen Johnson*, born February 1, 1847, married John H. Pieratt. They adopted Troy Clark, a son of Ella Jane Johnson, who married a Clark. Troy never married.

(6) *Rosa Adeline Johnson*, born September 30, 1849, married W. Henry Wilson.

(6) *Ella Jane Johnson*, born June 6, 1854, married Ira Clark. They had twin sons: Troy and Roy.

(7) *Roy* died in infancy.

(7) *Troy* was adopted by Deborah E. Johnson Pieratt.

(6) *Lou Ann Johnson*, born July 21, 1856, married William I. Maple. They had six children. They are the seventh generation and are:

(7) *Ruth*.

(7) *Minnie*, married Morgan French. Children: Marion, Daniel and Fern.

(7) "*Bud*", married Stella Gibbs.

(7) *Nancy*, never married.

(7) *William*, married Pearl Troy. Children were: Pauline, Billy, Helen, Ellenor, and Elizabeth.

(6) *Nancy Jane Johnson*, born April 20, 1860, married H. Clay Herndon. No children. They are buried in the Lexington Cemetery, Lexington, Kentucky.

Samuel Swango, (fourth son of Abraham Swango), married a Miss Eveline Kash. Lived several years on Buck Creek near Red River. Moved to his father's old farm on Stillwater Creek where he spent the remainder of his life. He raised five sons and two daughters.

Jessie (Bud) Swango, son of Samuel Swango, who was the fourth son of Abraham Swango, married Emma Trimble (6 children):

1. *Charles Kash* (deceased).

Irene Kash, married Leonard Slusher (2 children) :

Ollie Geneve Slusher.

Leonard Kash Slusher.

2. *Mary Swango*, married Samuel Hurst (Cap), (2 children) :

George Hurst (deceased).

Robert Hurst (deceased), married Edna Back (2 children) :

Billy Hurst.

Mary Joe Hurst.

3. *Lillie Swango*, married Granville Rose (deceased), (no children).

4. *Buford Swango*, married Mollie Rose (deceased), (9 children).

Garnett Swango, married James Williams (2 children) :

James Delbert Williams, married Edith Jennings (1 child).

Stevie Williams.

Billy Buford Williams.

Woodford Swango, married Lillie Steele (2 children) :

Jack Swango.

Patricia Swango.

Allene Swango, married Lincoln Kash (4 children) :

Donald Kash.

Adren Kash.

Phylis Kash.

Kathy Kash.

Lawrence Swango, married Tessy Noble (deceased), (1 child) :

Linda Swango, married Bobby Burns (1 child).

Thomas Wayne Burns.

Orene Swango, married Kenneth Davis (no children).

Virginia Swango.

Kash Swango, married Pearl Cummings (3 children).

Connie Swango.

Ronald Swango.

Richard Swango.

Margaret Swango, married Reese Jr. Stamper (1 child).

Karon Stamper.

Omer Swango.

5. *Robert Swango*, married Ora Nickell (1 child).

Robert Swango Jr.

6. *Emma Swango*, married Caesar McCown (3 children).

Helen Rose McCown, married C. B. Slade (1 child):

Richard Blane Slade.

Lillian McCown, married Cornellius Nantz (no children).

Edsel McCown.

William Swango, second son of Samuel, was married and died when a young man. One daughter married John M. Rose and had one girl and two sons, Curtis and Charley.

THE DESCENDANTS OF HENRY CHAPMAN SWANGO OF THE 6th GENERATION OF SWANGOS IN AMERICA

(6) *Henry Chapman Swango*, the third son of Samuel and Evelyn (Kash) Swango (5) was born in Wolfe County, Kentucky, Sept. 24, 1862, and died in Dayton, Ohio, Jan. 9, 1939. He was married to Dora Lacy (born Oct. 12, 1873) who died at Dayton, Ohio, Jan. 14, 1951. They lived in Morgan County and at West Liberty, Kentucky for many years, before moving to Dayton. Their children were, Stanley Sterling, James Koren, Dewey Main, Elizabeth Archie, Anna Evelyn, Luther Kash, and Stella Katherine. All were born at White Oak in Morgan County, Kentucky, except Stella, who was born at West Liberty.

(7) *Stanley Sterling Swango*, was born Sept. 16, 1893 and died June 9, 1953 at Dayton, Ohio. He married Eva Ferguson (born June 18, 1894, Paris, Kentucky) at Lexington, Kentucky, Dec. 16, 1916. She is living in Dayton, Ohio. Stanley and Eva

Swango have four children, all of which were born in Dayton, Ohio. They are, Stanley Sterling, Jr., Betty Jane, Phyllis Yvonne, and Donald Eugene. Stanley Swango, Sr., was a building contractor in Ohio until his death. This company is now operated by Stanley, Jr., and the other children. They have built a large part of Oakwood and Kettering, and own the Kettering shopping center.

(8) *Stanley Sterling Swango, Jr.*, was born Jan. 17, 1917, and married Monda Hott of Dayton, Ohio, where they now live.

(8) *Betty Jane Swango*, born Oct. 2, 1919, and is married to Paul Andrews, living in Dayton.

(8) *Phyllis Yvonne Swango*, born July 14, 1922, is married to Robert Dice, and living in Dayton.

(8) *Donald Eugene Swango* was born Dec. 2, 1925, is married to Betty June Dobbys and now living in Dayton.

(7) *James Koren Swango*, who was born Oct. 4, 1896, died at Dayton, Ohio, Dec. 22, 1953. He was married to Edna Fairchilds, July 11, 1931, at West Liberty, Ky. She is now living in Dayton, Ohio. They had two sons, Jimmy Dale Swango, (8) born in May 1932, at Dayton, Ohio and lived only a few months. Daniel Stephen Swango (8) was born Aug. 31, 1945, and lives in Dayton.

(7) *Dewey Main Swango*, who was born May 1, 1898, was married to William Rexford Sebastian, Sept. 16, 1916 at West Liberty, Kentucky. She died Sept. 24, 1919 at Campton, Kentucky. They had two children, Margaret Louise (8) who was born at West Liberty, and died July 26, 1928. William Rexford, Jr., (8) was born at Wayland, Kentucky, and died July 21, 1953 at Dayton, Ohio. He was married to Virginia Lorrach. William Rexford Sebastian, Sr., is living at Bedford, Kentucky.

(7) *Elizabeth Archie Swango* who was born June 12, 1900, was married to Charles M. Sherer of Harvey, Illinois, Nov. 6, 1919, at West Liberty, Kentucky. He died on March 28, 1946, at Dayton, Ohio. Nov. 3, 1955, Elizabeth married Ralph Maxon. They are now living in Dayton, and have no children.

(7) *Anna Evelyn Swango*, who was born Oct. 15, 1906, was married to John Corbett Coldiron of Hazel Green, Kentucky, July 7, 1926, at Dayton, Ohio. Corbett Coldiron is a Physician who has practiced medicine at Hazard and Manchester, Ken-

tucky for thirty years. He served in World War I and II where he was a Medical Officer with rank of Commander. He was also State Senator of Kentucky. Evelyn and Corbett have three daughters, Nita Jean, Lois Marie, and Joyce Evelyn. All children were born at Hazard, Kentucky.

(8) *Nita Jean Coldiron*, who was born May 5, 1927, was married to Roger E. McCombs, Nov. 30, 1948, St. Louis, Mo. They live in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

(8) *Lois Marie Coldiron*, who was born May 31, 1928, was married to Phillip Douglas Thompson, Sept. 10, 1949, at Hazard, Kentucky. They live in Cincinnati, Ohio.

(8) *Joyce Evelyn Coldiron*, who was born Nov. 30, 1929, was married to George S. Morton, Sept. 2, 1950, at Hazard, Kentucky, are now living in Winchester, Kentucky.

(7) *Luther Kash Swango*, who was born Feb. 11, 1910, was married to Bertha Wilcox, Winchester, Kentucky, March 12, 1934 at Dayton, Ohio. She died at Milford, Ohio. There was a daughter, Dreshia Lee Swango, (8) who was born Oct. 10, 1935 at Detroit, Michigan. Luther's second marriage was to Lillian Brothers. They are living in Victorville, California, where they operate the Wayside Nursery.

(7) *Stella Katherine Swango*, who was born Dec. 6, 1914, at West Liberty, Kentucky. She was married to Alfred Worthington in Dayton, Ohio, June 29, 1935. They have two sons, Gary Worthington (8) born at Dayton in October, 1936. He is now attending the University of California. Terry Worthington (8) also born in Dayton in February 1938, is serving in the Navy. Al and Stella Worthington are living in West Los Angeles, California. He is with an advertising agency in Santa Monica and she is a Real Estate Saleswoman for the Brentwood Realty Company, Brentwood, California.

Levi Kash Swango, fourth son of Samuel, became a doctor and settled at Morefield, in Nicholas County, Kentucky.

Ova Swango, fifth son of Samuel, married Dora Crain; became a doctor and settled at Jackson in Breathett County, Kentucky.

The daughters of Samuel Swango were Lou Ellen Swango, Lizzie Swango.

An early history of the descendants of Mary (Pop) Swango and Jefferson Heldridge Johnson as recorded by Mary (Mollie) Johnson Rowland, of 101 Lackawanna, Lexington, Kentucky.

According to the family Bible of Deborah Swango Tyler, wife of William Tyler, Abraham Swango, born 1792 in Virginia, was the son of Samuel Swango senior, born 1767, and Elizabeth Swango born 1769. Abraham Swango married Deborah Auglin, born 1798. Her parents were Stephen Auglin, born 1760 and Lydia Auglin born 1762.

The same Bible gives the following record of children born to Abraham Swango and Deborah Ogden: (Auglin).

Harrison Swango born October 8, 1816.

Lydia Swango (1818-1893).

Stephen Swango (1820-1877) might be 1899 instead of 1877.

Elizabeth Swango (1822-1893).

Mariah Swango (1824-1859).

Samuel Swango (1826-).

Mary Swango (1827-).

Nancy Swango (1829-).

Jesse Swango (1831-).

Ella Jane Swango (1833-).

Emily Jane Swango (1835-1837).

Chapman Swango (1837-1863).

Miss Lois May Johnston, geneologist in Chicago, supplied the following record:

Morgan County Census, 1860:

Abraham Swango, age 69-b Va.

Deborah, wife, age 64-b Va.

Chapman, age 22—Ky.

Milly Swango, age 68-b Va.

Richard Swango, age 48-b Ky.

Cresa, age 40 , b-Ky.

Rebecca, age 21 b- Ky.



† *Mary (Pop) Swango* was the seventh child of Abraham Swango and Deborah Ogden. Born August 1, 1827, died June 5, 1897, Compton, Ky. Married December 25, 1845, Morgan Co., to Jefferson Heldridge Johnson (May 9, 1816 Va.—June 30, 1959, Hazel Green, Kentucky). He was a teacher and civic leader at Hazel Green and in Morgan County.

Their children:

Oletha (Dec. 3, 1846-). Married James Monroe Spencer, of Wolfe county.

Thomas Crittendon (Jan. 21, 1849, Hazel Green, Sept. 15, 1921, Tallega, Kentucky). Married Eliza Jane Bowling at Raccoon, Laurel county. (Feb. 20, 1856, Oakdale, Kentucky-Feb. 4, 1943, Lexington, Kentucky.) Her parents were Jesse Bowling of Perry County and America Crawford of Breathitt county.

Jessie Ann (Oct. 26, 1851-1872-3. Missouri). Married William F. Hainline who later married her sister Mariah.

Ella Jane, (April 18, 1854, Missouri). Married Amby Wimer about 1873.

† *Deborah A.* (March 27, 1856-Feb. 14, 1936, Campton, Kentucky.) Married William T. Tyler in Breathitt County.

Mariah Jefferson (March 17, 1858, Hazel Green, Nov. 19, 1883, Missouri). Married William F. Hainline Dec. 17, 1874, Breathitt County.

Mary (Pop) Swango later married Henry Combs, of Breathitt county. No children were born of this marriage. They were living together in Breathitt county when her daughters *Deborah* and *Mariah* married. Several of Mr. Combs' sons also lived in the home. Among them was Alfred who later started the Combs Lumber Company in Lexington, Kentucky. After the death of Mr. Combs, Mary Johnson Combs lived with her daughter Deborah Tyler at Campton, where she was buried.

Oletha Johnson and her husband, William Monroe Spencer, lived at Malaga, Kentucky.

Their children:

Genoa S., married James McQuinn. Children: Della, John, Howard, Stella, Tom, Ersie, Dixie. Live around Middletown, Ohio.

"*Debb*" *Deborah S.*, married George Brooks. Children: Charlie, Francis, Frank, Jennings, Robert, Pearl, Viola, Twins: Maude and Myrtle.

Howard, married Sophrona Rose. Children: Troy, Ethel, Flossie, Courtney, Corsie, Seldon, Carrie.

Thomas Crittendon, (Sept. 13, 1877—Oct. 29, 1956, Jackson, Kentucky). Married Laura Napier of Owsley County. Children: Maurine, married Bill Waller. They live in Chicago.

Elizabeth married James Medley of Walton, Kentucky. William first married Mary Jo Cockerman of Lee County. Later married Zetta New of Jackson, Kentucky. Children were born of the last marriage.

Elza Jane Spencer, married Mack Tyree. Their children: Daisy, George, Robert, Grace, Lula, Irene, Virgie, Hazel.

Eliza Jane is living at Pine Ridge, Kentucky.

Mary Spencer married Scott Turner. She lives at Morehead, Kentucky. Their children: Maude, Mabel, Robert, Jeff, Earl, Callie, Mae.



To Thomas Crittendon Johnson and Eliza Jane Bowling were born the following children, grandchildren and great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren:

Clara (Dec. 1, 1874, Campton, Kentucky, Jan. 7, 1875, Campton.)

Allie May (May 7, 1876, Campton, June 7, 1941, Lexington, Kentucky). Married to John Murphy Nov. 11, 1933 at Beattyville, Kentucky.

Jefferson Heldridge (Oct. 24, 1877, Campton, Nov. 11, 1935, Lexington). Married Callie Abner Feb. 25, 1903 at Fincastle, Kentucky. Her parents were John Abner and Sarah Ellen Lutes of Lee County. Children:

Lillie Pearl (May 13, 1904, Malaga, Kentucky.) She married William Deaton, Sept. 20, 1924. They have two sons: William Deaton Jr., and Vernon Lane Deaton. William Jr., married Dorothy Caino May 1946, at Georgetown, Kentucky. Their children are Patricia Lane and Billy Gene. Vernon Lane married Thomas Hilma Barkley, Nov. 11, 1950. They have one son, Dane Lee, born Dec. 29, 1954.

Eva Lee Johnson, (Nov. 6, 1905, Malaga-). Married Eric Pelfry Dec. 11, 1926 at Jackson, Kentucky. Their children

are Wanda Lee and E. C. Pelfry. Wanda Lee married James Daniel Green, April 1949. They have one son, Anthony Wayne born in Dayton, Ohio. *E. C. Pelfrey* married Bonna Rae Farmer of Montana, Aug. 13, 1952. They have four children: Patricia Ann, Susan Gail, Deborah Faye, Steve, all born in Dayton, Ohio.

Abner Jonnson (March 5, 1913, Malaga-). Married Lucile Noland, of Jessamine County. They have one son, William Abner, born Sept. 5, 1938.

Jefferson Heldridge Johnson II (Aug. 28, 1918, Jackson-May 20, 1919, Tallega, Kentucky. Buried in the Johnson graveyard at Tallega.

"Jeff" *Johnson* with his wife Callie were prosperous merchants for many years at Malaga and Jackson. In 1933 they bought a good Blue Grass farm in Jessamine County near Lexington. Their daughter, Lillie Pearl and son, Abner bought the farm and live there. Eva Lee lives at South Elkhorn near Lexington with her second husband, Hugh Ryhn Hardman, married Sept. 1, 1948. Jeff is buried in the Lexington Cemetery.

Jesse Bowling Johnson (Feb. 28, 1879, Stillwater, Nov. 8, 1918, Lexington). Buried at Tallega. Jesse was the fourth of fifteen children born to "Tom" and Eliza Johnson.

Richard Revel Johnson (Oct. 28, 1880, Stillwater, June 17, 1954, Sand Springs, Oklahoma. Married Fannie Glass, Sept. 17, 1918 at Booneville, Kentucky. Her parents were Dr. Arch Glass and Lucy Herd of Owsley County. Their children are: Richard Chadwick (Mar. 19, 1920, Tallega-); Shirley (Aug. 18, 1921, Sand Springs, Oklahoma.-); and Archibald Lawrence (July 29, 1932, Sand Springs, Oklahoma-). "Chad" married Dorothy Bradstreet in 1943 while a medical student at Yale College. They have three children: Cindy (July, 1944, New Haven, Connecticut-); Valery (Feb. 16, 1949, Sand Springs, Oklahoma-); Richard Chadwick Jr. (Dec. 7, 1954, Sand Springs.-).

Shirley Johnson married Brown James Akin II at Sand Springs, October 7, 1948. They have one son, Brown James Akin III born Aug. 1, 1951.

For many years "*Dick*" was a prominent country doctor at Tallega, Lee County, Kentucky. After he moved to Sand

Springs, Oklahoma, 1920, he continued to be a hard working doctor with a host of devoted patients who lamented his wishes to be buried in Kentucky. His body rests in Lexington Cemetery with other members of his family.

“Chad” took up his father’s practice in Sand Springs. Shirley lives in Tulsa. Lawrence is a young lawyer living with his mother in Sand Springs.

Loretta Johnson (May 17, 1882, Stillwater—April 17, 1884, Flatt, Kentucky.

John Elliot Cooper Johnson (Jan. 23, 1884, Flatt-). Seventh child of “Tom” and Eliza Johnson. Married Nellie Tye of Jellico, Kentucky, June 5, 1912. Their children are:

Princess Lucile (June 13, 1914, Jellico-). Married Alfred M. Reece Jr.

Thomas Crittendon (Feb. 20, 1916, Tallega, Kentucky-). Married Alta Mae Bowles of Hazard, Kentucky, June 9, 1935.

John Elliott Cooper Jr., (Feb. 7, 1918, Jellico-). Married Elizabeth Elwina Williamson, of Louisville, Kentucky, Feb. 7, 1948.

Princess and Alfred Reece have two sons who live with their father in Lexington. They are: Jerry Tye Reece (Mar. 5, 1932, Lexington-) and Thomas Speed Reece (Jan. 31, 1938-). After separation, Princess married Tom C. Fleet. They live in Sinton, Texas, where they operate their own radio station.

Tom and Alta Mae Johnson had three children: twins, Tommy Christine and Katharine Earl (Apr., 7, 1936, Hazard-). *Donald Clayton* (June 8, 1938, Hazard-). He is an invalid. Katharine graduated from the University and married James Roy Holsclaw of Hazard. They live in New Albany, Indiana. “Tom” owns and operates the Hazard Express between Lexington and Hazard. His father was known as “Big Johnson” on the varsity football team at the University of Kentucky. After graduation in 1913, John practiced law in Lee County. Later farmed in Canada, then back to Lee County and farmed. He now lives at Tallega.

Minnie Johnson (Dec. 19, 1885, Flatt, June 20, 1951, Lexington). Eighth child. Married Douglas Kincaid of Fincastle, Lee

County, Nov. 16, 1910 at Tallega. (July 24, 1878-May 17, 1941, Richmond, Kentucky). His parents were Socrates Kincaid, of Lee County and Annie Trimble of Montgomery County. Minnie and "Dug" had four children. The first, a girl, died in infancy. A son, Garvice Delmar Kincaid Aug. 9, 1912, Tallega-). Married Nelle Wilson of Lexington, Oct. 4, 1940. They have twin daughters, Jane and Joan (Dec. 10, 1941-). Lexington.

Mildred Irene Kincaid (1914, Tallega-). Married Frank Richardson, of Madison County. They have two daughters: Ann (1933, Lexington-) and Emma Jean, (Lexington-). Ann married Paul Craycraft of Paris, Kentucky, in 1954. They have two sons, Chuck and Paul Jr. Emma Jean married Franklin Page, of Miami, Florida, Dec. 20, 1957. Mildred, Frank and Emma Jean live in Miami.

"Dug" Kincaid was a bridge foreman for the L & N Rail Road Company and a merchant in Lee County. He later engaged in the grocery business in Richmond. In addition to being mother and house wife, Minnie made profitable business of side lines and left a sizeable estate to her children. Their son, Garvice is a lawyer, banker, real estate dealer and finance wizard.

Beulah Grace Kincaid (Sept. 3, 1917, Richmond, Kentucky-). Fourth child. Married Walter Norris of Madison County. They have one son, Blane "Button", about ten years old. He helps his parents operate Joyland Park, in Lexington, where the Swango Reunion has met for the past three years.

Clayborn Xenephon Johnson (Oct 25, 1887, Flatt, Jan. 1957, Lexington). Ninth child of Tom and Eliza Johnson. Married Cora Johnson Ward, of Lexington, Mar. 17, 1923. Her parents were Tom Johnson and Lucy Eversole, of Chavis, Kentucky. They had no children but adopted Cora's grandson, Tom Cravens. "C.X." was a lawyer. Graduated from the University of Kentucky A.B. degree in 1913 and Law 1914. Before marriage he practiced law in the mountains and edited the Wolfe County News at Campton. After marriage he practiced law in Lexington and engaged in the coal business. He is buried in the Lexington Cemetery.

Archibald Leonard Johnson (July 30, 1890, Flatt—June 4, 1953, Lexington). Leonard was twice married but had no

children. He was a skillful doctor but became an alcoholic. He is buried in the Lexington cemetery.

Willie Johnson (May 24, 1889, Flatt—June 25, 1889). Tenth child.

"Mollie" Mary Belle Johnson (March 15, 1892, Flatt-). Twelfth child. Married Lester A. Rowland, of Owsley County, March 31, 1923 in Lee County. His parents were James Sherman Rowland and Florence Ellen Ambrose, of Owsley County. Lester and Mollie have three children:

Thomas Sherman Rowland (April 2, 1925, Lexington-). Married Doris Watson, Nov. 27, 1957 in Mountain View, California. Tom is employed as mathematician for Ames Aeronautics at Moffitt Field.

Julia Florence Rowland (Nov. 16, 1928, Lexington-). Married John Oliver Breninger, March 19, 1947 in Lexington. Julia and John have two daughters: Jacqueline Ruth Jan. 3, 1948, Lexington-) and Jorj Allae (Sept. 23, 1949, Phoenix, Arizona. They live in California where John is employed as tooling engineer for Hughes Aircraft.

Eliza Bowling Rowland Feb. 16, 1931, Lexington-). Married Albert H. "Ginger" Bubb, Sept. 23, 1955 in Louisiana. They have two boys: Lawrence Ray "Larry" (Oct. 15, 1956, Geneva, Illinois and David Lester (July 18, 1958, Phoenix, Arizona-). Ginger is employed by Delta Airlines.

"Mollie" Johnson Rowland graduated at Hazel Green Academy in 1912 and at the University of Kentucky in 1915. Taught in rural and high schools. Operated a country store and post office at Tallega during World War I. Married Lester Rowland who was at that time a railway postal clerk serving the Tallega office by "Catcher Pouches". They lived in Lexington 1925-37. Lived again at Tallega 1938-44 while engaged in farming and manufacture of lumber. In the meantime, instrumental in building the Tallega Community Church. They live at 101 Lackawanna Road, Lexington. On the Lexington and Fleming Line all passenger and mail service has been discontinued by trains with the substitution of mail busses. Now Lester is a postal transportation clerk. Working in a traveling mail bus through the mountains is a little hard on the "Old Man". He wonders just how much longer he can hold out.

America Marcella Johnson (Dec. 20, 1893, Flatt—Nov. 1,

1898, Tallega). Death from a critical burn. Buried in the family grave yard at Tallega.

Clara, Loretta and Willie were buried near Campton.

Maxaline Johnson, (Nov. 27-28-1895, Tallega). Married Ozie Claud Mingledorff II (Nov. 21, 1894, Marlow, Georgia). "Maxie" married at home, Sept. 17, 1918. Rev. Ozie Claud Mingledorff officiated. At once they sailed to the Korean Mission field where they served for six years. Three sons were born in Coon Chun, Korea: Ozie Claud Mingledorff III (July 7, 1919-June 6, 1944, D-Day on Normandy Beach, France, World War II). Harry Warren Mingledorff (April 26, 1921-). Married Elizabeth Stock at Toronto, Ohio, June 26, 1942. They served as missionaries in Mexico and Peru, South America, 1943-49. They have three sons: Dale Warren (May 22, 1943, Johnstown, Pennsylvania). Byron Claud (Nov. 4, 1947, Lima, Peru) and Kenneth Ray (May 13, 1950, LaGrange, Georgia). Warren and Elizabeth live at Sebring, Ohio where they pastor a Nazerine Church.

Joel Philip Mingledorff (April 11, 1924-). Married Norma Hambrick of Columbus, Georgia, Feb. 16, 1951. They have a son, Lowell Mingledorff.

Stanley Payton Mingledorff (March 19, 1928, Douglas, Georgia). Fourth son. Married Rachel Lillian Watrous at Kankakee, Illinois, June 28, 1952. They have a daughter, Renee', born Sept. 16, 1953, Kansas City, Missouri, and a baby born 1958 at Calhoun, Georgia, where Stanley is employed as a minister and school teacher.

Walter Russell Mingledorff (Feb. 6, 1932, White Oak, Georgia). Married Maurine Burton of Chicago Heights, Illinois, April 1954. Walter is also a minister of the Gospel, pastors a church and teaches school.

Edith Maxaline Mingledorff (June 4, 1939, Toronto, Ohio). Sixth child. She is a sophomore at Trevecca Nazerine College, Nashville, Tennessee.

Maxie and Claud Mingledorff are now serving on the staff of People's Bible College, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Daisy (Deborah) Johnson, (Nov. 30, 1897, Tallega-). Fifteenth child of Tom and Eliza Johnson. Married Jouett Shelby Boone in Lexington, Dec. 24, 1923. Jouett is a Federal bank

examiner. They now live in Springfield, Missouri. They have four children:

Emilee (Sept. 12, 1924, Stanton, Kentucky). She married Dr. Harold C. Murphree at Fort Thomas, Kentucky, Sept. 10, 1944. They have five children: Gweyneth Elizabeth (May 30, 1946, New York), Threce Ilene (Feb. 8, 1948, Monterey, California), Harold Mark (May 30, 1949, Ft. Lewis, Wash.) James Thomas (Jan. 11, 1952, New York City) and Eric Shelby (April 20, 1957, Washington D. C.). They live in Washington D. C. where Harold is a staff doctor in Walter Reed Hospital. Emilee graduated at Asbury College, Wilmore, Kentucky. She took training in nursing at Cornell Hospital in New York.

Ada Bowling Boone (Oct. 30, 1925, Stanton). She married Richard Rex Sandburg at Fort Thomas, June 18, 1948. They have three children: Richard Nils (Feb. 22, 1954, Cambridge, Massachusetts), Nancy Howe (April 24, 1956, Cambridge), and a baby born 1958, Cambridge. Ada graduated from the University of Cincinnati, specialized in bacteriology. Rex is a professional accountant.

Clara Lyle Boone (Sept. 6, 1927, Stanton). Is a graduate of Center College, Danville, Kentucky and Radcliff College, Cambridge, Massachusetts. Clara is employed in teaching of school music in Washington, D. C.

Daniel Boone (Feb. 28, 1929, Lexington). Married Nancy Belle Colley in Covington, Kentucky, July 19, 1952. They have two children, Cheryl Tereasa (May 16, 1953, Biloxi, Miss.) and Daniel Morgan (Jan. 13, 1955, Fairbanks, Alaska). Daniel Boone graduated from West Point June 1952. He is making the service his career.

Thus the family of Thomas C. Johnson and Eliza Jane Bowling numbers fifteen children, twenty seven grandchildren, thirty nine great grandchildren and eight great-great-grandchildren. Tom and his five sisters were raised by a widowed mother, Mary (Pop) Swango Johnson from the time he was 10 years old. He was elected County Court Clerk of Wolfe County when scarcely 21 years of age. During his term of office he met his wife-to-be while she was visiting a Crawford relative at Tallega, Kentucky, across the river from the big new home of Andy Hampton, prominently located on a fine farm. Twenty

years later the same home and farm belonged to Tom and Eliza and their big family. But not until after 20 years of struggle. While County Clerk, Tom read law books, attended the Court sessions and was later admitted to the practice of law. He also acquired the drink-habit that tore prosperity from the family and brought in much misery. Finally, while living at Flatt in Wolfe county, a stirring Methodist revival at Antioch Church shook the community. Tom was converted and the drink-habit disappeared. New hopes came back. The Hampton farm was purchased and the family put to work on it. Tom, known as T. C. Johnson, applied his talents in the practice of law and managing the farm. Eight of the children attended school in Hazel Green, his native town. Several received college educations. T. C. served a six year term as Commonwealth Attorney of his district. He was president of a bank and had a host of friends. His body rests in the family grave yard at Tallega.

The fifth child of Mary "Pop" Swango and Jefferson H. Johnson was *Deborah Adeline Johnson*. She was married Dec. 29, 1872, at home in Breathitt county, by Judge E. W. Strong to William T. Tyler (Oct. 14, 1852, Lee County, Virginia—April 21, 1920, Wolfe County). He became a forceful Methodist preacher and good farmer in Wolfe county. Deborah and William Tyler kept the most complete family record in their Bible. Much of the family history in this article has been supplied from that source. They had fifteen children:

Ella Jane Tyler (May 17, 1874-). Married William Bumgardner Jan. 17, 1895. They had one child, Lydia who lives in Fort Wayne, Indiana. After the early death of her husband, Ella Jane married Frank Bowling. They had several children.

Clara Tyler (Dec. 2, 1875—April 21, 1884.)

Pearl Tyler (Aug. 27, 1875—died same day).

Catherine Tyler (Aug. 19, 1878—Nov. 8, 1958). Married Marion Faulkner. She has living two sons, Wallie and Carl Faulkner, London, Kentucky, and seven daughters: Mrs. George Oliver, Campton, Mrs. Grace Stamper, Columbus, Ohio, Mrs. Ann Gaddis, Oxford, Michigan, Mrs. Alice Moore, Lake Oriom, Michigan, Miss Esther Faulkner, missionary at Bamgrapt, South India, Mrs. Ruth Evans, Fontana, California, Mrs. Margie

Williams, Drayton Plains, Michigan, 36 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. Catherine was buried in Miller Cemetery at Campton, Kentucky.

Mary Tyler July 14, 1880-). Married John White. They live at Campton. They have several children: Deborah, married John Mainard and lives in Detroit; Emma, married Allen M. Goodsen and lives in Atlanta, Georgia; William Edwin works in Dayton, Ohio; Bertie married Dr. Rex Center and lives in Campton. She is the Wolfe County Health Nurse. Mattie is engaged in missionary work and Nursing, Ethel married Albert Thompson and lives in Mt. Sterling. Raymond married Elizabeth Taulbee; James E. married Velma Matter.

+ *(Daisy Tyler* April 17, 1882-). Married Arthur Kincaid. They had several children. *Ann Kincaid - B. 12/13/1905*

The foregoing information was furnished by Mrs. Lester A. Rowland, 101 Lackawanna Road, Lexington, Kentucky.

IN MEMORIAM

We are grieved to report the death of one of our Swango Family, and one of our most important members of our Book Committee. She did not spare her time or means in gathering material for the foregoing history.

Mrs. Lester A. Rowland (Mary Belle or Mollie) Johnson was the daughter of Thomas C. Johnson and Eliza Jane Bowling and the Granddaughter of Mary (Pop) Swango and Jefferson H. Johnson. Mrs. Rowland was born May 15, 1892 and died May 1, 1959 in Lexington, Kentucky. She was buried in the Lexington Cemetery on Monday May 4, 1959.

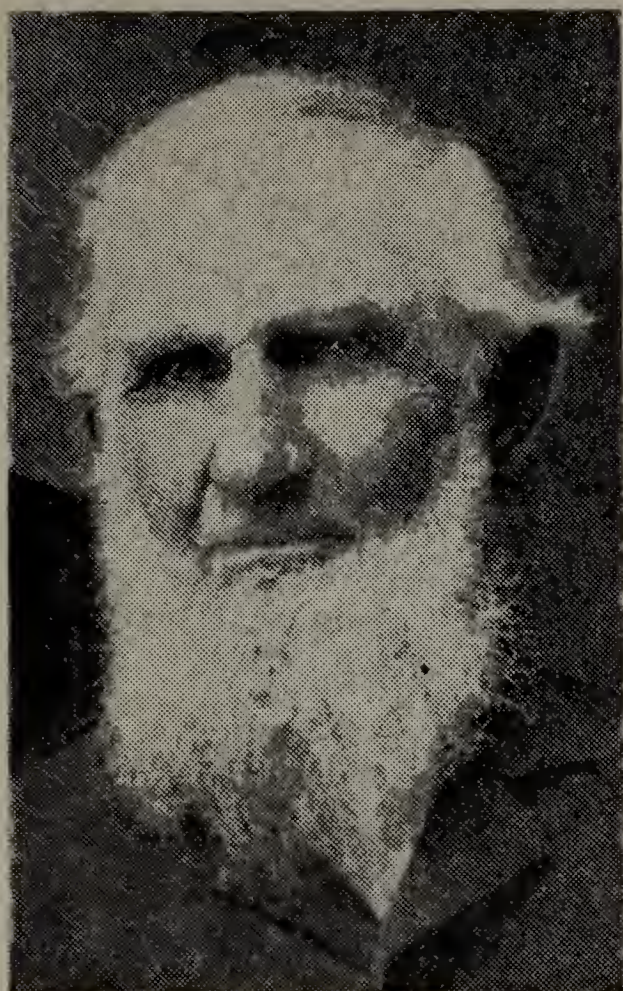
Mollie (as we who knew her best, called her) was a woman of very fine Christian character. She was a devoted wife, a loving and devoted mother having three fine children who were devoted to her.

We will miss her in many ways.

May God's Blessing rest and abide on her family.

By Mrs. W. E. Bach

—Book Committee



Jesse Swango, the fifth son of Abraham and Debby Ogden Swango, was born in Morgan County, Kentucky, on January 9, 1831 and died April 9, 1918 at the age of 87 years. He married September 11, 1852 in Edgar County, Illinois to Nancy Jane Hanks, who was born September 12, 1832 and died September 24, 1922 at the age of 90 years. To this union five children were born as follows:

Rosella, who was born and died in 1858.

Harlam Abraham Swango was born July 3, 1859 and died January 7, 1946. He was married to Evaline Perisho on November 22, 1881. She was born September 1, 1863 and died April 3, 1941. They were the parents of two children:

Jesse Hervey Swango

Mary E. Swango

Jesse Hervey Swango, son of Harlam Abraham Swango, was born May 3, 1883 in Edgar County, Illinois. He was married Dec. 22, 1908 to Delilah Smith. She was born Dec. 29, 1884. They were the parents of two children:

Harlam Austin Swango, son of Jesse Harvey and Delilah Smith Swango was born July 28, 1913. He was married May 26, 1933 to Dora Ellen Frazier who was born May 23, 1916. They

were the parents of two children:

Sandra Sue, daughter of Harlam Austin Swango, was born August 10, 1939.

James Harlam, son of Harlam Austin Swango, was born May 9, 1945.

Walter Arthur Swango, son of Jesse Hervey Swango and Deliliah Smith Swango, was born May 5, 1916. He was married April 22, 1937 to Ruth Alberta Bussart. She was born Jan. 8, 1918.

Mary E. Swango, daughter of Harlam Abraham Swango, was born March 18, 1888. She was married first on October 16, 1913 to Orin J. Clecker. He was born March 18, 1883 and died April 16, 1954. She was married the second time on October 19, 1958 to Fred Zimmerman.

Ivy was born and died in 1862.

Lillie, daughter of Jesse Swango and Nancy Hanks, was born in Nov. 1862 and died December 11, 1882.

Clarence William Swango, son of Jesse Swango and Nancy Hanks, was born October 29, 1866, and died March 12, 1939. He was married November 6, 1889 to Laura Fleming. She was born March 13, 1870 and died June 11, 1932. Clarence then was married a second time to Ida Reeds.

This family were all prosperous farmers of near Paris, Illinois.

Ella Jane Swango, daughter of Abraham Swango, was born in 1833 in Kentucky and died in her 79th year. She married Jesse O'Hair who was born March 29, 1828 and died March 14, 1908. They were the parents of five children:

Ahraham Letcher O'Hair who married Anna Shelton.

W. Chap O'Hair who married Ollie Tolen. They have one son, Ross O'Hair.

B. Cortez O'Hair who married Mary Craig.

Callie (Redhair) O'Hair died Aug. 9, 1885, at the age of 22 years, 2 months and 15 days. She was married to George Gaines who died April 7, 1886..

Eva O'Hair who was born June 10, 1871 and died Nov.

25, 1897. She married Herbert A. Mitchell.

Chapman Swango, sixth son of Abraham Swango, was born 1834. He never married and was a school teacher. He founded a school on Stillwater called Seminary. He joined Morgan's Raiders and was a company commander. Captain Swango was killed in the Civil War .

The foregoing information was furnished by Ottice Swango, RR 2, Charleston, Illinois.

(1) *William Swango* came from Germany before 1741. His wife, name unknown, died and was buried at sea. His sons were, Abraham (2), and Isaac (2).

(2) *Issac Swango*, is believed to have settled in Pennsylvania. (This is questioned by some).

(2) *Abraham Swango*, born 1726 and was married in 1760 in the old Sweedes Church in Wilmington, Delaware, to Ailsie Pyles. They moved to what is now Berkley County, West Virginia, then to Kentucky. They were the parents of eight children: James, Abraham Jr., William, (who never married. Was known as "Blackbeard".) Jacob, Elizabeth, Nancy, Mariah and Samuel. They are of the third generation. All of these children, of Abraham Swango, except Samuel, are believed to have gone into the Gallatin County area of Kentucky, with their father, Abraham.

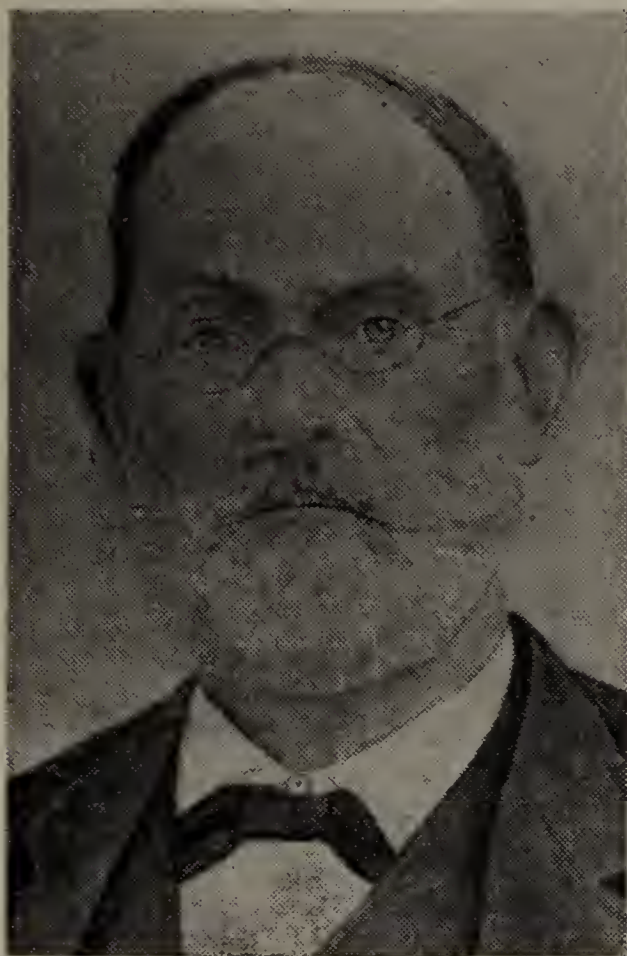
(3) *Samuel Swango*, born in 1765 or 66, married in Virginia on Dec. 24, 1789 to Elizabeth Johnson (O'Banion.) They had six children: Abraham, Mariah, Sophie, Richard, Millie Sommervill, and Creasa. They are the fourth generation.

(4) *Abraham Swango*, born Oct. 20, 1790 in Virginia. Died March 18, 1863, married Deborah Ogden, born April 1796, died Nov. 10, 1862. Their children are of the fifth generation of whom George Washington Swango was the oldest son. The history of Abraham and Deborah Ogden Swango's children is given in other data.

(4) *Mariah Swango*, daughter of Samuel Swango Sr., born about 1792, married Thomas Wills, born in 1790. They were married in 1814 in Montgomery Co., Kentucky. Thomas died Jan. 26, 1872, but we have no record of Mariah's death. They had eight children: Elizabeth (married Thomas Ingram), Sam-

uel Wills, Shelton Wills, Deborah Wills, Abraham Wills, Armina Wills, (married Daniel Bays), James Lemuel Wills, (married Isabelle Collinsworth, and Jordan Wills married Judith Cox. These are of the fifth generation.

I do not have any record of any of the descendants of any of these children, but my own grandfather, Jordan Wills,—Pearl Day Bach.



Jordan Wills



Zarilda Wills

Jordan Wills, born April 28, 1830 in Montgomery Co., Kentucky, married Judith Cox in Morgan Co., Kentucky March 29, 1848. They were the parents of nine children. Both are buried in the Hazel Green Cemetery, Hazel Green, Kentucky. The children are: Zarilda Wills, James Thomas Wills, Emily Wills, Martha Jane Wills, Lucinda Alice, Clara Ellen, Robert Lee and Ada Richmond. These are of the sixth generation.

Zarilda Wills, was born May 27, 1851 in Morgan Co., Kentucky and married Fredrick Newington Day, born in Lee Co., Virginia, March 12, 1844. They had eight children: Willie Lee, James South, Minnie Lou, Robert Bruce, Edward Owen, Stonewall Jackson, Emma Pearl. These are the seventh generation.

(7) *Willie Lee Day*, born Aug. 1, 1872, Campton, Kentucky,

married Minnie Belle Howard, in Montgomery Co., Kentucky, August 28, 1895. Both are buried in the MacPelah Cemetery, Mt. Sterling, Kentucky. They had four children: Lillian May, Beatrice Inez, Carroll Anderson, James Edward. These are of the eighth generation. Beatrice is (the only one living) living in Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

(7) *James South Day*, born Campton, Kentucky, Feb. 15, 1875, married Hallie Cowden in Midland, Texas, December 31, 1903. He died Sept. 21, 1921 and is buried in San Antonio, Texas. She is still living there and has no children.

(7) *Minnie Lou Day* born Campton, Kentucky, Jan. 27, 1878, married at Hazel Green, Kentucky June 9, 1901 and is buried in the family lot in Hazel Green, Kentucky. He is buried in Bushton, Illinois.

(7) *Robert Bruce Day*, born Daysboro, Kentucky, Sept. 14, 1880, was never married. Died in Hazel Green, Kentucky Feb. 4, 1905 and is buried in the family lot.

Edward Owen Day, was born at Daysboro, Kentucky, Dec. 15, 1882, married Dorothy Bolling July 4, 1925 in Little Rock, Arkansas. He was a physician. He died at Hot Springs, Arkansas July 18, 1949, buried at Little Rock, Ark. His wife and one daughter, Dorothy Edwina Day (8), are living in Little Rock. Dorothy Edwina is married to John Murphy.

(7) *Stonewall Jackson Day*, born in Hazel Green, Kentucky, March 16, 1885, died 2½ years of age and is buried in the family lot at Hazel Green.

(7) *Emma Pearl Day*, born June 19, 1887 in Hazel Green, Kentucky, married William Everett Bach, Dec. 26, 1905 at Hazel Green, Kentucky and is now living in Lexington, Kentucky. They are the parents of three children: Hallie Day, Virginia Maurine, and Wm. Everett. These are of the eighth generation.

(8) *Hallie Day Bach*, born at Cannel City, Kentucky, Nov. 2, 1906, married to William O. Blackburn, and are the parents of three children: Patricia Yvonne Blackburn (9), born Jan. 17, 1935 in Lexington, Kentucky, married Aug. 17, 1958 to John Allen Deacon in the Maxwell St., Presbyterian Church in Lexington. Barbara Ann Blackburn, (9) born in Lexington, Kentucky, Nov. 25, 1937 is attending University of Kentucky.

(8) Wm. Everett Bach Jr., born 12-29-1923, died 12-29-1923. Buried in the Lexington Cemetery. William Everett (9) born at Dry Ridge, Kentucky, July 18, 1943, is attending Millersburg Military Academy in Millersburg, Kentucky. These are of the ninth generation.

(8) *Virginia Maurine Bach*, born in Cannel City, Kentucky, May 4, 1910, married Oliver Lee Steele, Jr., in Lexington, Kentucky, and have one daughter: Virginia Lee Steele (9), born Jan. 2, 1927 in San Antonio, Texas. Was married to John Harvey, Jr. of Lexington, Kentucky. Parents of three children: John Harvey, III (10) born Nov. 29, 1950, Martha Lee, (10) born April 30, 1952, Ann Edmondson Harvey, (10) born May 5, 1955. These are the (10th) generation.

(6) James Thomas Wills, born Jan. 31, 1855 and died Feb. 6, 1855.

(6) *Emily Wills*, born Jan. 31, 1853, married Seborn Trimble and died April 20, 1929 near Hazel Green, Kentucky. They had five children: Sarilda Alice Belle, Clarence, Rose, James Calvin, and Jordan Greene. These are of the seventh generation.

(7) *Sarilda Trimble* married James P. Lacy and had one child Clemma (8), who married Alexander Thomas Stewart and lives in Stanton, Kentucky. They are the parents of six children: Virginia Alexandria Stewart (9), married Dr. Charles Walker Prewitt. They have two sons (10). Hazel Stewart (9) married Thomas A. Dale. They have a son, Thomas (10) and a daughter Dale (10) and are living in Grayson, Kentucky. Alexander Thomas Stewart (9) graduated from the University of Kentucky and was killed in 1940 in an auto accident near Lexington. Dr. Ivan Stewart (9) married Gladys White of Irvine, Kentucky, and now live in Haines City, Florida. They have two children. James Lacy Stewart (9) married Elizabeth Hollon of Hazel Green, Kentucky, and they have two sons (10). James is connected with the Hearne Funeral Home of Stanton, Kentucky. Dr. Herbert Hoover Stewart (9) married Dorothy Stovall of Hazel Green, Kentucky. They are living in New York City where Herbert is teaching at Columbia University. They have one son (10).

(7) *Clarence Trimble*, married Emma Maloney, and they have a large family. Emma Golden, Beulah Fern, Mazie,

Robert Bruce, Mattie Alice, Ruth Esther, Ruby Christine, Marie and Maxine. These are of the eighth generation. Emma Golden Tribble was born May 13, 1901, married John Goin, June 15, 1919. They live in Lexington, Kentucky, and have four children. Howard (9), Virginia (9), James (9), and Eddie Roy (9). Beulah Fern Trimble was born Sept. 14, 1902, married J. B. Hughes and lives in Florida. Mazie Trimble, born Feb. 6, 1906, married Everett Nickell, and have two children Everett (9) and Margie (9). Everett was killed in Germany in 1944 in the Battle of the Bulge. Margie is a missionary. Robert Bruce Trimble was born Jan. 25, 1909, married Helen Davenport of Cincinnati, Ohio in 1948. They have one daughter, Donna Sue (9) born in 1956. Mattie Alice Trimble, born July 30, 1911, died July 7, 1926. Ruth Esther Trimble, married Carl Thomas Gilen and have one son, Carl Thomas (9).

(9) *Ruth Christine Trimble* married Harold Deatherage May 31, 1941. They live in Erlanger, Ky., and have two children: Carol Ann (9) and Harold Bruce (9). Marie Trimble married Charles Edward Brown of Louisville, Kentucky in 1941. They have three children: Sandra Jean (9) Charles Edward (9) and Janet Marie (9). Maxine Trimble, born Jan. 9, 1923, lives in Cincinnati, Ohio.

(7) *Rose Trimble* born Dec. 26, 1879, married J. Robert Brooks and has two children, Sharon Ann (9) and Kenny Lloyd (9). Robert Campbell Brooks (8) born May 20, 1923 married at first to Betty Brewer and had one son Michael (9). Second marriage was to Marie Center.

(7) *James Calvin Trimble*, born Dec. 1, 1882, died Dec. 25, 1931. Married to Lela Day, who died Jan. 1, 1932, leaving three children: Tony (8) born Aug. 9, 1920, and married Josephine —, live in Middletown, Ohio. James Ralph (8) born Sept. 1, 1929, married Gertrude Cockerham, of Campton, Kentucky. Have one son James Clarence (9). Eunice (8) born Sept. 8, 1931, married Austine Oldfield, one son James Bernard (9), and are living in Middletown, Ohio.

(7) *Jordan Green Trimble*, born Jan. 23, 1872, died Dec. 20, 1930, was never married.

(6) *Sarah Elizabeth Wills*, married W. Frank Horton. She was born Feb. 3, 1856 in Morgan Co., Kentucky. They are the parents of three children: Minnie Leigh Horton, Rilda Hor-

ton, and Nettie May Horton.

(7) *Minnie Leigh Horton* married M. Catesby Woodford, had one son John T., Woodford (8).

(7) *Rilda Horton*, married Bruce Duff and had two children Horton Duff (8), who is married, lives at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky. There is one daughter Betty (9). Colonel Charles Duff (8) lives in Washington, D. C., is married.

(7) *Nettie May Horton*, married Harry Lockridge of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky. He is deceased. She is living at Mt. Sterling and has no children.

Mary Belle Wills, who was born Nov. 15, 1858, married Heiskell Salley. She died June 18, 1894, and had six children: Andrew Jackson, Fred, Alice, Liz Emma, and Jude and Robert. These are of the seventh generation.

(7) *Andrew Jackson Salley's* first marriage was to Miss N. Clark, and second marriage was to a Miss L. Stamper. He has several children.

(7) *Fred Salley* was also married and had several children.

(7) *Alice Salley* was also married.

(7) *Liz Emma Salley* married Noah Tibbs and had a large family. Both living in Middletown, Ohio.

(7) *Jude Salley* married G. Pennington and have several children living in Middletown, Ohio.

(7) *Robert Salley's* second marriage was to Tina Day. They lived near Hazel Green, where he was killed in the early 30's by Clifford Peck.

(6) *Martha Jane Wills* married Alex Nickell and they were the parents of eight or nine children: Cora (7), married Quincy Jaggers and lived in Illinois until her death. Nora (7) married Lee Fallen and lives in Ohio. Bud (7) was married. Daw (7) married a Bishop. Lucy (7) married Harlan Oldfield and had four or five children. Lula (7) married John Murphy and had four or five children, one of whose name was Paul. Mattie (7) married a Townsend and children. Robert (Bob) (7) married a Nickell and had a large family. Lives on his mother's old place near Hazel Green, Kentucky.

(6) *Lucinda Alice Wills*, born Aug. 30, 1866, and died Aug. 30, 1870.

(6) *Clara Ellen Wills*, married Jefferson Sexton and had three daughters:

(7) *Rilda Sexton* was a nurse, who was drowned in Illinois. Junia Sexton (7) married A. Hollon and had three or four children. Grace Sexton's (7) first marriage was to a Maloney and second to a Brooks. They had children and live near Hazel Green, Kentucky.

(6) *Robert Lee Wills*, born July 5, 1874, and died July 26, 1898 while working in an open well near Ezel, Kentucky. He was married to Sarah Childers and had one child Ruth (7). She married a second time to James Ingram, and lived at Maytown, Kentucky. His daughter Ruth (7) died at an early age of tuberculosis.

Ada Richmond Wills, born Nov. 10, 1876, married Caleb Franklin Kash and had one son Eli Carl Kash (7) who was married first to Norma ———. Second to Ella Jane Banks and had one daughter, Lois Ann Kash (8) who married George Harcourt, who are now living in Cincinnati and have two children. Ada and her husband Caleb Kash are buried near Loveland, Ohio.

(Back to fourth generation)—

(4) *Sophie Swango*, sister of Mariah, married Johnny Wills, brother of Thomas Wills, dates unknown. They had four children, Jack, Mart, William, and Mariah. They are of the fifth generation. (5) Jack Wills married Lucy Hall and had several children: Mariah Wills, (6) married Dr. Ancil Norton. Mack Wills (6) not married. Mina Wills (6) married Jesse Broadus. Molly (6) married Matt Cockrell. Salley (6) married Billy Hon. Jimmie (6) never married. Charlie (6) married Jennie Todd. (5) Mart Wills married Polly Conley and had ten children. They are Pres, Ann, John, Lucinda, William, Elizabeth, Sue, Henry, Lit, Caroline, and Laura. These are of the sixth generation. Pres Wills (6) was never married. Ann (6) married George M. Pettit and had seven children. Thomas Pettit (7) married Hazel Day at Stanton, Kentucky. Asa and Bill Pettit were both killed (7). Sudie Pettit (7) married a Watkins of London, Kentucky and Nannie (7) Pettit married a Bryant of London, Kentucky. Mollie Pettit (7) married John Ham-

monds and Charles Petitt (7) was married. (wife's name not known).

(6) *John Wills*, married Amanda Hon and had ten children: (7) Martin Wills, married Lolo —— of Hollywood, California. Clinton (7) Wills, married a Duncan. Ella Wills, married a Groom, Marie Wills (7) married a Duncan; Thomas Wills (7). No information of the other five children.

(5) *William Wills*, left Kentucky before he was 21 and was never heard from.

(5) *Mariah Wills*, married Henderson Conley (brother of Annie Conley) and had seven children: (6) Betsy Ann Conley was never married. (6) Louisa Conley married Forkner. (6) Caroline Conley married J. B. Derickson.

(6) *Mariah Conley* married Steve Rose; (6) John Conley married Elizabeth Judy; (6) G. B. (Bun) Conley married Kate Cooper, and Tom Conley (6) married Lura French first and Lydia Anderson second time.

Tom Conley (6) and Lura French had eleven children: (7) Anna Conley, married Robert Blackburn and had one son (8) Colson Blackburn married Fannie Shinfessell and had two sons (9) Robert Colson Blackburn and (9) Robert Blackburn, Jr.

(7) *Matta Mariah Conley* married Henry Derickson.

(7) *Everett Conley*, deceased. (7) G. W. Conley married Leona Garrett.

(7) *Louis Conley* married Margaret Miller (7) Robert Conley married Rose Coldiron and had four children all of which are dead. (7) Erva Conley married Myrtice Clark. (7) Clay Conley is deceased; (7) We lack information on Grover and Elmore and one other.

(6) *Tom Conley*, by his second marriage to Lydia Anderson, had one child, (7) Mina Conley.

(The foregoing information was furnished by Mrs. Wm. Everett Bach of 165 Bell Court West, Lexington, Kentucky.)

Pearlie C. Swango, daughter of Stephen and Sara Jane Swango, born Aug. 3, 1882; died Feb. 11, 1943; married James Murphy and they lived with her father until his death. They bought the old homestead on a creek called Fallen water in Wolf Co., Kentucky and lived there until 1925 when they moved to Coles Co., Illinois. They had a family of six sons and four daughters.

(1) *Lula Myrtle*, daughter of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, born in 1904 in Wolf Co., Kentucky, received her education in Kentucky and taught school there. She later married Clifford Bancroft and they are now living in Clifton, New Jersey. There are five children:

Eugene Patrick Bancroft, born in 1927; he married Jean Taupin, their home is in Clifton, New Jersey. They have a family of five children as follows: Mark Douglas Bancroft, Karen Elizabeth Bancroft, Brent Nichal Bancroft, Donna Marie Bancroft, and Craig Mathew Bancroft.

Joan Carol Bancroft, born in 1928 in New Jersey, married Robert Kane. They live in Claymont Delaware; they have four children as follows: Mary Kathleen Kane, Michal Clifford Kane, Denise Judith Kane, and Luann Margaret Kane.

Neil Adrian Bancroft born in 1930 in New Jersey, married Carolyn Goodwin. Their home is in Clifton, New Jersey. Their children are: Wendelyn Clare Bancroft, and Thomas Gregory Bancroft.

Don Bancroft born in 1935 in Clifton, New Jersey. He is now serving in the armed forces in Korea.

Brian Gregory Bancroft born in 1947 in Clifton, New Jersey.

(2) *Stephen John*, son of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy was born in 1906 in Wolf Co., Kentucky. He married Nancy Walters and were later divorced. There was one daughter by this union.

Ruby Mae Murphy born in 1929. She married Kenneth Whitehurst and have two children. Their home is in Dayton, Ohio. Their children are Vicki Whitehurst and Kenneth Whitehurst Jr. Steve, as he was known, later married Virginia ———. They reside in Azusa, California. The children of this

union are: Audrey Murphy, Susan Murphy, Joan Murphy, Stevie Murphy, Wanita Murphy, Dale Murphy and Mary Jane Murphy.

3. *Ruby Jane*, daughter of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, born in 1908 in Wolf Co., Kentucky. Married Edward Schmitt of Oak Ridge, New Jersey. She has been with Bell Telephone Laboratories for 31 years.

4. *Jesse Vernon*, son of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, born in 1911 in Wolf Co., Kentucky. Married Marian Rardin of Charleston, Illinois, a daughter of Claud Rardin, publisher of The Charleston Daily News. They live on a farm near Arcola, Illinois. They had one son and one daughter:

Claude Vernon Murphy, son of Jesse Vernon Murphy, born in Coles Co., Illinois. Married Betty Panky. He is teaching in Champaign, Illinois. They have three children: Danny, son of Claude V. Murphy, Donna, daughter of Claude V. Murphy, and David, son of Claude V. Murphy.

Maryln Sue, daughter of Jesse Vernon Murphy is attending school in Florida.

5. *Aulsa Mae*, daughter of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, born in 1913, in Wolf Co., Kentucky. Married John Alexander of Charleston, Illinois. They live near Bushton, Illinois in a farm home. They have one daughter and three sons:

Phyllis Arlene Alexander married Bruce Michael of Bush-ton, Illinois. They have one daughter, Rhonda Lynn Michael.

Jerold Ray, son of John Alexander.

Gregory Mark son of John Alexander.

Bradley Noel son of John Alexander.

6. *Osa Glenn* son of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy born in 1915 in Wolf Co., Kentucky. Married Hazel Rhodes of Hinds-boro, Illinois. She was a daughter of Ross Rhodes. They live on a farm south of Charleston, Illinois. Their family consists of three daughters:

Lois Arlene Murphy married Stuart Davie of Westfield, Illinois. He is serving in the Air Force and is stationed in San Francisco, California.

Janice Lee Murphy

Glena Mae Murphy

7. *James Wendal* son of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, was born in 1917 in Wolf Co., Kentucky. He served in the Armed Forces from 1939-1944. He received the purple heart in battle in Germany. Married Elvira Hackett and they were later divorced. He now lives in Bois D'Arc, Missouri.

8. *Eugene Leland* son of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, born in 1919 in Wolf County, Kentucky. He served in the Navy from 1945 to 1949. He was in battle near Guam. He married Melba Carrol. They had one son, Maurice Leland Murphy. They were later divorced. Leland then married Ala Glodman of Charleston, Illinois. They both work at the Brown Shoe Factory there.

9. *Marshal Neil* son of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy was born in 1921 in Wolf County, Kentucky. He died at birth.

10. *Lois Genevieve*, daughter of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, was born in 1923 in Wolf County, Kentucky. She married Raymond G. McConnell of Hutton township, Coles Co., Illinois. They are making their home in Phoenix, Arizona. They have a family of four children: James Raymond McConnell, Edmund Paul McConnell, Gary Lynn McConnell and Linda Jean McConnell.

11. *Robert Elwood*, son of Pearlie C. Swango Murphy, was born in 1926 in Coles County, Illinois. He was married to Betty Curtis of Charleston, Illinois. They were later divorced and there are three children: Connie Jean Murphy, Michael Lee Murphy, and Robert Monroe Murphy. Robert Elwood Murphy then married Elinore Peterson and lives in Phoenix, Arizona.

William Barnett Swango, born Sept. 13, 1830, married to Mary Almina Watson, died on Oct. 5, 1894. He and his wife lived in McDonough County, Illinois, and to them were born:

James William Cassander, who married John Miner, Lucy Ann, who married Bruz Lance, Orilla, who married Orin Hinman, and Lorin Ebenezer, who married Josephine Emily Porter.

The above Lorin E. was born Oct. 21, 1858, and married Josephine Emily Porter, daughter of Joseph Eldridge Porter and Susan Mariah Cogswell Porter on Nov. 11, 1879. He engaged in farming and live stock raising in McDonough County, Illinois, and died May 5, 1933. To this couple were born:

Walter Oral, born Oct. 21, 1880.

Ralph Otis, born September 26, 1882, married Letha Scholl, died 1916.

Gale Loren, born May 25, 1899.

In 1927, Gale Loren married Clara Wilson, daughter of William Johnston Wilson and Jane McVitty Wilson. They live in St. Louis, Missouri, where Gale is employed in the accounting department of the Standard Oil Company. He has 32 years of service with this company. He and his wife have two children:

Gayle Ann, born Feb. 26, 1926, a graduate of Syracuse University, who is married to Lt. William Edward Blundell, United States Army.

Gerald Porter Swango, born Jan. 4, 1939, Airman, United States Navy.

GOD LIVES IN KENTUCKY

(John A. Logan)

God is good to Indiana
 As a father to his child,
But He made our Old Kentucky
 And just looked at her and smiled
Then He made the broad Ohio
 Circle 'round this land so fair
As a mother hugs her baby
 To her with tender care.
Yes, God went to Indiana
 And He blessed each hill and glade;
But He came down to Kentucky
 And just sat down here and stayed.
Here He made Davis and Lincoln,
 Destined each to play his part;
And a sacrifice so noble,
 Healed a nation's broken heart.
And George Rogers Clark He went with
 His Kentucky rifle band,

To release His Indiana
 From the English tyrants' hand.
 Then He sent old Davy Crockett
 'Way out to the Alamo
 And they made the State of Texas
 Out of northern Mexico.
 Here He heard the call of Jackson
 'Way down South of New Orleans,
 And He sent Kentucky soldiers
 Uniformed in home-made jeans.
 When, because each one sought freedom,
 War between the States was made,
 To the South He sent Jeff Davis
 To the North Old Honest Abe.
 So the Lord sends from Kentucky
 Just the man He wants to go;
 Who will always do His bidding,
 Everytime—Is it not so?
 We believe our God will tell you,
 Tho forever you may roam,
 That the nearest place to Heaven
 Is the "Old Kentucky Home."
 It is just as clear as can be
 That God loves and freely gives
 To the other States His blessings;
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